THE WEATHER.

Snow in west, snow or rain in east portion Tuesday, colder; much colder at night with a cold wave; high shifting winds.

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AUGUST BELMONT MAKES A DENIAL

Asserts He Made No Attempt to Improperly Influence Legislation.

RACING INTERESTS INVOLVED

Declares Racing With Him a "Pastime, Not a Business"—Explains to Legislative Committee—Letter Made Public.

New York, Dec. 5.—"I cannot make too emphatic the statement that I have never directly or indirectly, in person or through any corporation or individuals, contributed, authorized, or advised the expenditure of a single dollar to improperly influence legislative action, nor have I been asked to do so."

August Belmont, chairman of the Jockey Club, makes this statement in a letter to M. Linn Bruce, chief counsel for the Legislative Investigating Committee before which Mr. Belmont was a witness last week. The letter was made public tonight, along with a brief letter from F. K. Sturgis, treasurer of the Jockey Club, saying that he (Sturgis), was in error when he testified recently that James W. Wadsworth, Jr., Speaker of the State Assembly recommended a counsel for the racing interests E. T. Coyne, of Livingston county. This recommendation he adds, came from the Elder Wadsworth, State commissioner of racing.

Mr. Belmont's letter which Sturgis said he read and heartily endorses says in part:

"Since the giving of my testimony before your committee, it has come to my attention, through the newspapers, that a most unfair and distorted view of my connection with racing interests is sought to be imbedded in the public mind. Racing with me now and for many years has been a pastime, not a business. My financial holdings in property used for racing purposes have always been very moderate. The great bulk of my time is devoted to the management of my banking and railroad interests and I now repeat what I stated to your committee that the sweeping allegation of a corrupt use of money to influence legislation was a matter of which it ought to be presumed I was ignorant.

"The claim is made, as I understand it, that money was used to bribe the members of the legislature of 1908 to vote against the Hart-Agnew law.

"My interest in racing as a sport has prompted me to maintain a general and not a special supervision of the amount of money that were being expended by the associations. It would seem that in 1907 upwards of $40,000 was paid to Judge Coyne for services rendered by him before the Legislature and elsewhere in behalf of racing interests. This money was paid him before the Legislature of 1908, which passed the law crippling races came into existence. To this sum most if not all the associations contributed. The figures, while large were claimed by him to be reasonable in the light of the work performed. Mr. Coyne had been county judge and surrogate of Livingston county and a lawyer of high standing in the up-State counties.

Mr. Belmont then says that the racing interests were very much interested in securing the active support of agricultural societies and horse breeders of the State to exert all possible legitimate influence to preserve their legal status—he continues, "In a State-wide way Judge Coyne endeavored to represent us. No suggestion was ever made to me that his bills covered any improper disbursements, or that our moneys had been in 1907, or in any other year, used improperly in influencing the Legislature.

"In 1908 the Hart-Agnew law having been passed while I was in Europe, I undertook on my return after consultation with my associates the disbursement of such portion of the fund of $40,000 testified to before your committee in publicity and legal services, as I might be able to arrange, and the items of moneys paid out from such fund have been correctly given you.

"I in no way shirk my way of responsibility, but that the public should be persuaded into a belief by juggling with the figures that I have soiled my name by stooping to cover up under the guise of lawyers bills and newspaper expenditures, the bribing of members of the legislatures is a position in which no fair-minded man would wish to place me. Nor shall I ever consent to believe until the proof is overwhelming to the contrary that any of my associates were party to—or cognizant of, any opposition to anti-racing legislation which was not under the circumstances perfectly defensible and under legal advice."

Mr. Belmont then offers to aid the committee in any way in his power and to appear before it again if wanted to preclude any opportunity for a misunderstanding as to his acts in regard to racing matters.

MRS. MARY BAKER GLOVER EDDY

Mother of Christian Science Church Passes Away in Boston Sunday Night at Advanced Age. Her Career.

Boston, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Mary Baker Glover Eddy, the discoverer and founder of Christian Science, is dead. Announcement of the passing of the venerable leader, which occurred late Saturday night at her home, Chestnut Hill, a suburb, was made at the Sunday morning service of the Mother church in this city yesterday.

"Natural causes" explains the death, according to Dr. George L. West, a district medical examiner, who was summoned a few hours after Mrs. Eddy died. Later Dr. West added that the more immediate cause was probably pneumonia.

The news of Mrs. Eddy's death was made known simultaneously by Judge Clifford P. Smith, first reader of the Mother church, at the close of the morning service, and by Alfred Farlow, of the Christian Science publication committee, in a statement to the press.

According to Mr. Farlow, Mrs. Eddy died at a quarter before 11 o'clock last night.

"She had been indisposed for about nine days," said Mr. Farlow's statement. "but had been up and dressed and as late as Thursday transacted some business with one of the officials of the Christian Science Church. She took her daily afternoon drive until two days before her going. Saturday she fell quietly asleep and those around her could at first hardly realize that she had gone. Her thought was clear until the last and she left no final messages.

"No physician was in attendance but she had the assistance of the students who comprised her household, With her at the time of her departure were Mr. Calvin A. Frye, Mrs. Laura E. Sagent, Ms. Ella S. Rathvon, Rev. Irving C. Tomlinson, her corresponding secretary, William R. Rathvon, and her secretary, Adam H. Rickey.

Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy was born in Bow, N. H. Her father was a man of some property and local distinction, friend of President Franklin Pierce and other distinguished men of his time. Mrs. Eddy was related to Gen. John McNeil, a hero of Lundy's Lane. On her father's side she was related to Gen. Henry Knox, of revolutionary war fame. She was a first cousin of Gov. Hoke Smith of Georgia. Mrs. Eddy's childhood days were spent at Bow, near Concord. As a young woman she was a confirmed invalid until the healing incident which ushered her to the threshold of Christian Science. Mrs. Eddy was highly educated, having been tutored by her brother, Albert Bakerman, a graduate of Dartmouth, member of the New Hampshire Legislature and Congressman at the time of his death. In 1843 Mrs. Eddy married Maj. Geo. Washington Glover and removed with him to Charleston, S. C., her husband being later stricken and having died in Wilmington, N. C., with yellow fever. Mrs. Glover returned to her old home at Tilton, N. H., where her son was born. While at Tilton Mrs. Eddy frequently wrote for the papers and magazines and was widely read. In 1853 in the hope of regaining her son from whom she had been obliged by circumstances to separate, Mrs. Eddy married Dr. Daniel Patterson, a dentist of Franklin, N. H., and in 1862 removed to Portland, Me., in search of health, consulting P. P. Quimby, a magnetic healer of local reputation. Later she removed, after being benefitted but not healed, to Lynn, Mass., where she lived with her husband. It was in 1866 that Mrs. Eddy met with a fall on the ice which was the immediate cause of her discovery of Christian Science. Physicians pronounced her case hopeless and ignoring the medicine prescribed, Mrs. Eddy, in her extremity, turned to her Bible and claimed to have received such inspiration and spiritual help from the Biblical account of the man with the palsy that she arose from her bed a well woman. Mrs. Eddy continued the study and in 1875 her "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures" was published and the foundation laid for the great denomination of which she was the head. Mrs. Eddy secured a divorce from Dr. Patterson and in 1877 married Dr. Asa C. Eddy, one of her earlier students of Christian Science, who died in 1882.

For some years Mrs. Eddy taught Christian Science in Lynn. In 1881 she chartered the Massachusetts Metaphysical College in Boston. The charter for the first Christian Science church was obtained in 1879, and in that year Mrs. Eddy was called to become the pastor of the church. She was ordained in 1881, although she had preached five years previously. Mrs. Eddy founded and for a long time edited The Christian Science Journal, a monthly magazine. In the fall of 1889 Mrs. Eddy removed from Boston to Concord, N. H., and in 1907 to Chestnut Hill, a suburb of Boston.

Last Resting Place.

That the body of Mary Baker Glover Eddy, founder and head of the Christian Science church, who died Saturday night, will finds its last resting place in the crypt under the altar of the First, or "Mother" Church in Boston, is the belief tonight of many of those prominent in the denomination.

No official intimation to that effect could be had, but so far as could be learned no arrangements have been made to take the body to Mrs. Eddy's birthplace at Bow, N. H., or to Concord, N. H., where she so long resided.

A woman in high standing in the church circles said today that there was a general understanding among the church at large that the body would rest in the crypt of the "Mother" church.

Arrangements have been fully completed for the funeral on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the late home of Mrs. Eddy at Chestnut Hill. The services will be simple and the attendance will be limited to the family, immediate household of Mrs. Eddy, and the leading officials of the Christian Science church.

Telegrams have been flowing in steadily from all parts of the world seeking verification of the news of the death of Mrs. Eddy and containing many tributes.

UNIONISTS LOSE IN THE ELECTIONS

Now No Possible Chance to Replace Liberal Government in England.

THE SECOND DAY'S POLLINGS

No Possibility of Gaining Enough in Contests Yet to be Held—London Much Enthused Over the Results.

London, Dec. 5.—The position of the parties tonight, after the second day's pollings in the general election, is as follows:

Government coalition: Liberals 87, Labor 14; Nationalists 16; total 117

Opposition: Unionists 116.

The results today merely confirm the opinion formed of the results of Saturday's contests that the Unionists now have no possible hope of replacing the Liberal government in power. The only question remaining is whether the Liberals will return with a larger or a smaller majority.

To gain a bare majority in the new Parliament the Unionists must make a net gain of 62 seats. Thus far, with 130 pollings, they have a net gain of only five seats. They have gained 11 and the Liberals six seats.

The gain by the Unionists on Saturday was seven, while the Liberals gained four. Today the Unionists gained four and the Liberals two seats. A continuation at this rate of progress would fulfill the Unionist prediction that the Asquith cabinet would come back with a greatly weakened majority and would be more than ever dependent upon their Irish and Labor allies.

It must be remembered, however, that the Liberals lost at the January elections, a large number of seats through three-cornered contests. Such contests are largely eliminated in the present elections and this may give the Liberals sufficient gains to balance those of the Unionists.

It seems likely that the House of Commons will meet with the position of the parties practically unchanged.

The Unionist rally in Lancashire has been maintained and the Liberal hope of winning two seats at Preston has been disappointed, but what the Liberals lost in Lancashire was compensated for by their better showing in Yorkshire.

In Liverpool a strong campaign by the Unionist orator, F. E. Smith had the result of greatly improving the Unionist position. The Unionists gained the seat for the exchange division of Liverpool, as well as that for Birkenhead.

The two seats the Liberals lost in London today, Islington North and St. Pancras West, were held by very small majorities in the previous Parliament. Apparently, therefore, the metropolis is much the same as January in its attitude towards the contending parties. Perhaps rather significant are some of the Liberal gains, such as Wakefield, a cathedral city, which has been represented by a Unionist for eight years and Cheltenham, another Tory stronghold and residential city, largely composed of retired officers.

It is notable that in the royal borough of Windsor the Liberals succeeded in reducing the Unionist majority.

The signs of the conversion of the traditionally conservative middle classes may be an indication of a similar change in the country agricultural districts, which went almost entirely Unionist in January.

London tonight is displaying much enthusiasm and the successful candidates are being borne in processions through the streets with torch lights.

There were similar scenes in Liverpool, Leeds and other towns where elections were held.

The political clubs were filled with members at the Carleton and other Unionist gathering places and much disappointment was expressed at the smallness of the gains, which were expected to be treble what they turned out to be. In Liberal quarters the greatest enthusiasm prevailed, for it was predicted, even among the staunchest supporters of the government, that the Unionists would make a net gain of eight seats in today's polling. Among the election results was Liverpool (Scotland division). T. P. O'Connor, Nationalist, majority 1,769, no change. O'Connor's majority last election was 2,167.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 5.—James Berlingatt, general manager of the St. Joseph & Grand Island Railroad, has been appointed assistant general manager of the Virginian Railway here, in charge of operations, vice H. P. Reigart, resigned.

FOUL MURDER NEAR DURHAM

Walter Taylor Slain and Body Placed on Railroad Track—Blow on Head Was Fatal—Last Seen With Barbee.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Durham, N. C., Dec. 5.—One of the boldest and most daring deeds heard of here for years was committed last night at the railroad junction of the Durham & Southern and Durham & South Carolina railroads, about one mile east of this city. Men coming along the railroad early this morning noticed the body of a man lying across the tracks. Upon investigation it was found that the man had a deep wound in the back of his head from which he evidently died.

It is thought that the bold murderer placed the lifeless body across the track in the hope that some passing train might cut the body in two and thus remove all suspicion. Sheriff Harvard was notified at once and sent Deputy Sheriff Morgan, who was accompanied by the coroner to the scene. An inquest was immediately held.

The body was identified as the body of Walter Taylor, of Duke, a former resident of East Durham. Taylor came over to East Durham Sunday and was seen by many friends. He visited a drug store that night and was later seen in a restaurant, this being between 7 and 8 o'clock. Mr. Taylor was 23 years old and is survived by a wife and one child. From the appearance of the ground near the railroad tracks, where the body was found, it is evident that the dead man put up a brave fight for his life for when found both of his hands contained clutches of broom straw. The body was taken to East Durham, where the coroner's inquest was held and at a late hour this evening the jury had not rendered a verdict. The wound in the back of the man's head appears to have been made by a bullet. It is claimed that Reuben Barbee, who has been in so many murder trials, was the last man seen with Taylor, but up to this time no clue has been found of the man or men who committed the deed.

COTTON CARRYING ROADS.

Must Adhere to the Rule Regarding Validating.

New York, Dec. 5.—Representatives of 18 of the largest exchange buying banks in the city, at a meeting today decided that cotton carrying roads in the South must adhere strictly to the rule providing that all bills of lading for cotton shall be validated only when the property comes into actual possession of the carrier, otherwise the banks doing a foreign exchange business may refuse to buy the bills.

The attention of officials of banks had been called to the fact that some of the roads were dilatory in this regard. It is understood that the representatives of the banks agreed unanimously that they could not safely buy foreign bills of exchange against bill of ladings for export cotton unless such bills were validated strictly in accordance with the White Sulphur Springs agreement, made between bankers and railroads last July. This stipulates that bills of lading shall not be signed until the cotton is in the possession of a railroad company. The American Bankers Association, it was learned, has received word from the Interstate Commerce Commission that it intends to stop the practice of issuing bills of lading for merchandise not actually in the possession of the carrier.

SOUSA AT ASHEVILLE.

Joined His Band There Last Night—Three Thousand People.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., Dec. 5.—John Philip Sousa, the famous march king, who has been sick for the last three weeks, joined his band here to make a tour of North and South Carolina. He was given a great reception here, nearly 3,000 people filling the auditorium tonight despite a pouring rain.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 5.—The Building Trades Department of the American Federation of Labor, today selected Atlanta, Ga., as the meeting place for next year's convention.

OUTLINES.

The closing session of the 61-st Congress opened in Washington yesterday. Resolutions were adpoted to the memory of those who have died since Congress last met.——The poling in England yesterday confirmed the opinion that the Liberals will have a majority over the Unionists.——August Belmont, in an open letter yesterday, denied any attempt to improperly influence legislation in favor of the racing interests.——A man believed to be Walter Taylor, of Duke, N. C., was killed and his body placed on the railroad track near Durham. The man died from a blow on the head. No arrests have been made——The Louisiana General Assembly yesterday defeated a resolution to submit the election of United States Senators to popular vote.——J. C. Patten and several others were re-indicted yesterday on the charge of trying to monopolize interstate commerce in available cotton.——New York markets: Money on call easy 2 1-2 to 2 3-4 per cent., ruling rate 2 1-2, closing bid 2 1-2, offered at 2 5-8. Spot cotton closed quiet, middling uplands 15.15, middling gulf 15.30. Flour steady, moderate jobbing trade. Wheat firm, No. 2 new 53 3-4 f.o.b. to arrive. Corn firm, No. 2 new 53 3-4 f.o.b. to arrive. Oats firm, standard white 39 1-4. Turpentine steady.

CONGRESS OPENS REGULAR SESSION

Senate and House Now Ready to Proceed With Legislative Work.

DEATH ROLL UNUSUALLY LARGE

Fitting Resolutions Adopted to Memory of Departed Members—Applause for Champ Clark—The Preliminaries.

Washington, D. C. 5.—The closing session of 61st Congress opened at noon today. Na buiness was transacted, both branches meeting merely to appoint a joint committee to formally apprise the President that the legislative branch of the government was ready to proceed, to call the rolls of members and to adjourn after adopting resolutions to the memory of those members, who had died since Congress last met.

The usual animation marked the opening in both the Senate and House, but the re-union of old legislative friends was tinged with sadness because of the heavy toll death had been among their number in the past few months. In consequence the Senate was in session only a quarter of an hour, while the House occupied 50 minutes of time before Speaker Cannon declared it adjourned until tomorrow. The mebers, like school boys, released from a class-room, then poured from the capital to face a blinding snow storm that had set in at the dawn today.

More than usual interest was manifested in the opening because of the passing of the balance of political power of the end of the session. As a result the galleries were crowded to the utmost with visitors, who had braved the inclement weather. Since adjournment last June there have been four deaths in the Senatorial ranks, rendering it necessary to make official announcement in each case when the Senate convened. Vice-President Sherman was prompt in making his appearance in the Senate chamber, and he brought the Senate to order with a rap of his gavel just as the two hands on the big white-faced clock united to announce the arrival of the noon hour. Immediately afterward came the opening prayer by Dr. Ulysses Grant Pierce, who referred to the usual number of deaths during the recess.

The roll called that followed disclosed 80 senators present, only 8 failing to respond to their names.

Resolutions by Senators Hale, of Maine, and Cullom, of Illinois, providing for the notification of the House and the President, respectively, that the Senate was sitting and prepared for business were adopted before the Senate took cognizance of the work of the Grim Reaper. In accordance with Mr. Cullom's resolution, he and Mr. Money, of Mississippi, were appointed to wait upon the President. The Secretary of the Senate was instructed the necessary information to the House.

The deaths announcements were made in order of seniority and each case by the colleague of the deceased member. Senator Martin, of Virginia, broke the official news of the death of Senator Daniel, of that State; Senator Bacon, announced the demise of Senator Clay, of Georgia; Senator Foster performed a like service in behalf of Senator Money, of Louisiana, and the series closed with an announcement of the death of Senator Dolliver by Senator Cumins, of Iowa. All spoke in feeling terms of the departed.

In connection with the announcements resolutions expressing the profound sorrow of the Senate over each of the deaths were adopted after which an adjournment was taken out of the resepect to the memory of the four men.

In the House the entrance of Representative Champ Clark, of Missouri, elicited as much applause as did that of Speaker Cannon. The face of Mr. Clark, as he walked down the aisle to his seat on the Democratic side was as rosy and shining as was the bright pink carnation he wore in his button hole.

Called to order by the bang of Speaker Cannon's gavel promptly on the stroke of twelve, the House remained in session long enough only to hear a prayer, the roll call to adopt resolutions of sympathy on the death of Representatives Brownlow, of Tenessee; Foulkard, of Pennsylvania; Tirrell, of Massachusetts, and Gilmore, of Louisiana, and the members of the other House who have died since the adjournment of the previous session and to have the oath of office administered to three new members.

Representatives Tawney, Calderhead and Clark were named by Speaker Cannon members of the joint committee to call upon the President and notify him that Congress assembled.

The new members, who entered upon their duties as representatives of their districts today were John

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THE COTTON POOL MEN AGAIN

Indictment Returned Against Patten, Haynes, Scales and Others —Handed Down by Second Grand Jury—Features.

New York, Dec. 5.—James A. Patten, of Chicago, Eugene Scales, of Texas, William P. Brown, of New Orleans, and others were indicted again today by a Federal grand jury charged with conspiring to monopolize inter-State commerce in available cotton during the last four months of the crop year ending September 10, 1910. The indictment was actually returned on August 4th last, but did not go into effect until it was opened today.

The accused with their counsel appeared before Judge Hough, in the criminal branch of the United States District Court, and entered tentative pleas of not guilty. They have until December 11th to demur and arguments on the demurrer will be heard on the third Monday in January, 1911.

The original indictment was found in May last, but the defendant objected that the special grand jury which returned it had been improperly drawn and the government, fearing that the courts might find the plea in abatement, well taken, decided to re-submit the evidence to another grand jury which in due course handed down the indictments opened today. It contains eight counts instead of five, and lessen the number of defendants by two, omitting Sydney J. Harman and Charles A. Kittle, yet naming besides Patten, Scales and Brown, Frank B. Hayne and Colonel Robert M. Thompson, all of whom were originally indicted.

LABLANC TRIAL NEARS END.

Attention of Jury Returned to Widow of Glover.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 5.—The prosecutions direct case against Hattie LeBlanc on trial for the murder of Clarence F. Glover, probably will be before the jury at the close of tomorrow's session. When the court adjourned tonight, the jury heard the evidence of 21 witnesses, seven of whom testified today. No witness has yet resulted to seeing Hattie LaBlanc enter or leave the laundry, where the shooting is said to have occurred and efforts by the District Attorney to introduce testimony that more closely connected the girl with the crime have been ruled out by the court. On the other hand, during the seven days of the trial, the defense has turned the attention of the jury from the little Cape Breton girl to Mrs. Lillian M. Glover, the widow.

Half a dozen witnesess testified today to seeing Mrs. Glover in her own home about the time the shooting is said to have occurred in the laundry.

Mrs. Glover's personal counsel, Samuel D. Elmore, was forced to admit on the stand today that he was paid $4,153 by Mrs. Glover immediately after the murder to defend her against a situation which had arisen. He said also that he readily detected marks on Hattie's hands when she was dragged from her hiding place. Whether these marks were powder stains, he could not say, but they looked like it. He further said that she had a scar on her finger. The defense laid much stress on the fact that in the searching of the Glover house for the girl, a lamp was used and it might have been held close to this hand.

CALHOUN HEIRS LOSE.

Supreme Court Decides Against Them in South Carolina.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Descendants of the Calhouns', former owners of the "Calhoun lands" in Greenwod county, South Carolina, today lost the chance of coming into possession of the old plantation, when the Supreme Court of the United States declared it was without jurisdiction to review a decision of the South Carolina courts, adverse to them.

When Downs Calhoun died in 1850 he left a will, which provided that the land should go to his two sons, Willis Boyd and William Downs, and after their death to their legitimate children. After the sons died their heirs brought action to get possession of the lands, but the lower court held that under the then existing law of South Carolina the lands had been sold by equity court just after the death of Downs Calhoun in 1850 to satisfy his debts, and that the land had not passed under the will.

The descendants who brought the suit were Mary R. Trimble and Emma R. Stolenweck, of Alabama, Dora A. Royall, of Virginia, and William A. Calhoun, Edwin Calhoun, Jamie Lock and John C. Calhoun, of Georgia.

HARRY LOEB DEAD.

Many Years Broken in Raleigh—Native of Wilmington.

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 5.—Harry Loeb, a highly esteemed citizen of Raleigh, a long while a merchandise broker and extensive property owner here, died this forenoon after a protracted illness with Brights Disease and complications. He was a native of Wilmington and was quite a while extensively interested in cotton milling in Georgia. He was about 59 years od. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Bessie Batchelor, daughter of Hon. J. B. Batchelor, former Attorney General of North Carolina. The remains wil be carried to Warrenton for interment Wednesday.

N. C. CONFERENCE SESSIONS ENDED

Appointments For All Districts Read at Elizabeth City.

MANY REPORTS ARE ADOPTED

Rev. J. C. Wooten Assigned to Grace, Rev. G. T. Adams to Fifth Street and Rev. E. C. Sell to Trinity—The Other Changes.

(By Miss Mamie Bays.)

Elizabeth City, N. C. Dec. 5.—The closing session of the 74th annual session of the North Carolina Conference was held this morning. Conference adjourned at 1:10. Bishop Hendrix did not deliver the devotional address this morning due to lack of time. He conducted a brief devotional service instead.

Had time permitted, he would have spoken at this noon. The subject, "Solomon the Wise Fool."

Minutes of Saturday's session were read and approved. Report of the committee on Conference Relations answering minute Question 17 and 18 show that R. W. Townsend, W. H. Townsend and J. O. Guthrie have been granted the supernumerary relation; that W. T. Thomas, J. E. Bristowe, J. E. Thompson, T. P. Boomer, W. H. Kenton, A. D. Betts, C. C. Brothers, J. J. Porter, T. J. Browning, W. H. Puckett, G. D. Langston J. Y. Old and W. A. Forbes have been granted the superannuated relations.

Reports of the Epworth League Board and Committee on District Conference Records were adopted. Report of the committee on Home for superannuated Preachers was submitted and adopted. It recommended the appointment of L. L. Nash as agent.

Report of the Joint Board of Finance was read and adopted. The report showed during the coming year $3,546 assessed for Bishops' fund and $8,500 for conference claimants. Report of the Board of Education was read and adopted. It expressed thanks of the conference to B. N. Duke for liberal contributions to Trinity College. It recommended the confirmation of Bishop Kilgo as a member of the Board of Trustees. The report also included recommendation that the conference take steps to raise $100,000 endowment of Trinity College. A collection was taken for the sexton of the Conference church. Certificate of Orders were granted L. N. Snow, local preacher, his credentials having been burned. The report of the Board of Church Extension was read and adopted.

Resolutions of thanks were adopted Report of the Board of Missions was read and adopted. N. H. D. Wilson was appointed president of the board. R. H. Willis, Sec. Conference assessed $19,700 for foreign missions. $16,427 for domestic. R. H. Willis was named Conference Missionary Secretary. L. L. Nash, Missionary evangelist. Resolutions of appreciation of the presidency of Bishop Hendrix were adopted. Rev. A. McCullen was appointed to preach the Conference sermon next year. J. H. Shore, alternate. Bishop Hendrix made a few remarks before reading the appointments. It is believed the appointments this year have given more general satisfaction than is usually the case. The Conference adjourned in the best of spirit possible and gave very decided evidence of pleasure at the presidency of Bishop Hendrix over the session, during the 24 years he has been in the Episcopacy, very few after conference change in appointments are necessary. The law of the church since the last session of the general conference requires the bishops to make no appointments without the knowledge of the presiding elders. After reading the appointments Bishop Hendrix pronounced the benediction the conference adjourned.

The appointments are as follows:

Durham District:—R. C. Beaman, Presiding Elder. North Alamance Circuit, M. M. McFarland. South Alamance Circuit, G. W. Vick. Burlington Station, J. A. Hornaday. Burlington Circuit, C. O. Durant. Chapel Hill Station, W. A. Stanbury. Durham, Branson B. Thurley; Mangum Street, T. M. Grant; Memorial, M. Bradshaw; Lakewood Mission, L. D. Hayman; Trinity, R. C. Craven; Carr Church, A. L. Ormond. West Durham, A. J. Parker, G. M. Daniels. Durham Circuit; W. P. Constable; Graham, T. G. Vickers. Hillsboro Circuit, C. R. Ross. Leasburg Circuit, J. M. Ormond. Milton Circuit, T. C. Ellers. Mount Tirzah Circuit, N. C. Yearby. Pelham and Shady Grove, S. F. Nicks. Pearl Mill and Bethany, H. C. Smith. Roxboro Circuit, E. M. Snipes. Yanceyville Circuit, J. E. Blalock. Secretary Y. M. C. A. in China, E. E. Barnette. H. E. Spence, professor Trinity College.

Elizabeth City District—M. T. Plyler, presiding elder. Camden Circuit, C. P. Jerome. Chowan Circuit, J. A. Martin. Columbia, K. F. Duvall. Currituck Circuit, F. B. Nob-

blitt. Dare Circuit, J. A. Morris. Edenton Station, G. S. Bearden. Elizabeth City—City Roads, J. H. Buffaloe. First Church, J. D. Bundy. Gates Circuit, W. H. Brown. Hatteras Circuit, W. J. Watson. Hertford Station, T. A. Sykes. Kennekeet Circuit, to be supplied by W. J. Hackney. Kitty Hawk Circuit, supplied by J. M. Whitson; Moyock Circuit, M. Y. Self. North Gates Circuit, B. P. Robinson. Pasquotank Circuit, W. A. Piland. Pantego and Belhaven, C. A. Jones. Perquimans Circuit, William Towe. Plymouth Station, H. M. Jackson. Roanoke Island, A. W. Price. Roper, J. W. Potter.

Fayetteville District—R. B. John, presiding elder. Bladen, D. H. Reed. Buckhorn Circuit, L. M. Chaffin. Carthage Circuit, E. E. Rose. Cokesbury Circuit, W. O. Martin. Dunn Station, F. A. Bishop. Elise Circuit, G. T. Simmons. Fayetteville—Hay Street, L. E. Thompson. Fayetteville Circuit, G. B. Starling. Goldston Circuit, M. D. Hix. Haw River Circuit, W. H. Moore. Hope Mills Circuit, N. M. McDonald. Jonesboro Circuit H. M. Eure. Lillington Circuit, E. L. Stack. Newton Grove Circuit, Frank Culbreth. Pittsboro Circuit V. A. Royall. Sampson Circuit, J. W. Hoyle. Sanford Circuit, K. D. Holmes. Siler City Circuit, E. B. Craven. Conference Missionary Evangelist, L. L. Nash.

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Rockingham District—A. McCullen, presiding elder. Aberdeen and Biscoe, W. W. Peele. Caledonia Circuit, J. C. Humble. East Robeson Circuit, W. A. Jenkins. Elizabeth Circuit, D. B. Parker. Hamlet, S. T. Moyle. Laurinburg, H. A. Humble. Laurel Hill Circuit, D. A. Watkins. Lumberton and Mission, E. M. Hoyle, J. McConnell. Maxton, A. P. Tyer. Mount Gilead Circuit, J. A. Lee. Montgomery Circuit, G. H. Biggs. Pekin Circuit, N. L. Seabolt. Raeford Circuit, J. W. Bradley. Red Springs Circuit, S. A. Cotten. Richmond Circuit, J. M. Ashby. Robeson Circuit, G. W. Smith. S. W. Townsend and W. H. Townsend, supernumerates. Rockingham, E. H. Davis. Rowland Circuit, F. B. McCall. St. John and Gibson, N. E. Coltrane. Troy Circuit, O. W. Dowd.

Warrenton District—J. E. Underwood, presiding elder. Battleboro and Whitakers, John W. Frank. Bertie Circuit, F. G. Johnson and one to be supplied. Conway Circuit, B. H. Black. Enfield and Halifax, J. E. Holden. Garysburg Circuit, E. N. Harrison. Harellsville Circuit, G. A. Futrell. Henderson First Church, W. R. Royall. North and South Henderson, S. J. Kilpatrick. Hobgood Circuit, to be supplied by F. F. Eure. Littleton, R. H. Willis. Murfreesboro and Winton, C. L. Reid. Northampton Circuit, W. B. North. Rich Square, D. L. Earnhardt. Ridgeway Circuit, B. C. Allred. Roanoke Circuit, J. T. Draper. Roanoke Rapids, W. F. Galloway. Scotland Neck, J. A. Dailey. Warren Circuit, B. C. Thompson. Warrenton Circuit, D. N. Caviness. Weldon, S. E. Mercer. Williamston and Hamilton, Rufus Bradley. Littleton Female College, J. M. Rhodes, president. Conference Missionary Secretary, R. H. Willis.

Washington District—J. T. Gibbs presiding elder. Aurora Circuit, C. R. Canipe. Ayden Circuit, R. M. Caraway. Bath Circuit, J. B. Bridgers. Bethel Circuit, J. W. Autry. Elm City, W. T. Phipps. Farmville Circuit, H. E. Tripp. Fairfield, H. E. Lance. Fremont Circuit, R. R. Grant. Greenville, Jarvis Memorial J. H. Shore. Mattamuskeet Circuit, F. E. Dixon. McKendree Circuit, J. C. Reynolds. Mount Pleasant Circuit, B. E. Stanfield. Nashville Circuit, J. L. Rumley. Rocky Mount First Church, L. P. Howard, South Rock Mount—Marvin and Clark Streets J. B. Thompson. Spring Hope Circuit, W. F. Craven. Swan Quarter Circuit, T. J. Dailey. Tarboro, E. H. McWhorter. Vanceboro Circuit, G. J. Lewis. Washington, R. H. Broom. Wilson, F. F. Smith. Superintendent North Carolina Anti Saloon League, R. L. Davis.

Wilmington District—N. H. D. Wilson, presiding elder. Burgaw Circuit, C. M. Lance. Carvers Creek Circuit, L. E. Sawyer. Chadbourn, C. E. Vale. Clinton Circuit, M. A. Smith. Columbus Circuit, supplied by T. H. Bain. Jacksonville and Richland W. E. Brown. Kenansville Circuit, J. M. Lowder. Mt. Tabor Circuit, supplied by W. B. Humble. New River, supplied by J. L. King. Onslow Circuit, J. T. Standford. Scotts Hill Circuit, R. A. Benton. Shallotte Circuit, supplied by J. M. Marlowe. Southport Station, L. T. Singleton. Swainsboro Circuit, J. C. Whedbee. Town Creek Circuit, supplied by C. P. Snow. Whiteville and Vineland, D. C. Geddie. Wilmington and Braden Street, W. L. Rexford, Fifth Street, G. T. Adams. Grace, J. C. Wotten. Trinity, E. C. Sell. Wallace and Rose Hill, Y. E. Wright. Student at Vanderbilt University, W. V. McRae.

Transfers R. E. Harnt and W. T. Massey and J. A. Snow, Western North Carolina Conference; T. A. Smoot, Virginia Conference; E. R. Welch and C. B. Culbreth, to Oklahoma Conference.

Services Sunday.

Before the hour of 9:30 Sunday when the conference love feast began, the First Methodist church was was crowded. Rev. A. D. Betts and Rev. W. H. Moore cvonducted the love feast and many of those present took part in the experience meeting which occupied most of the time. Bishop Hendrix preached at 11 o'clock and at the close of the sermon ordained deacons and elders. Rev. R. B. John, Rev. J. N. Cole and Rev. A. D. Betts assisted him in the ordination service. Those ordained deacons were W. J. Watson, T. G. Vickers, J. A. Martin, J. J. Boone, W. A. Stanbury, F. S. Love. Those ordained elders were J. B. Hurley, A. D. Wilcox, W. C. Whedbee, C. T. Rogers, E. N. Harrison, J. W. Autrey, O. W. Dowd, L. T. Singleton, L. E. Sawyer, L. D. Frank and J. J. Lewis. The sermon of Bishop Hendrix was based upon the text: Matthew 11:6, "And Blessed is he who shall not be offended in me." The entire sermon was one of great earnestness and effective appeal.

Sunday afternoon the conference held a memorial service, four members having died during the past year; Rev. R. A. Willis, Rev. B. B. Holder, Rev. N. H. Guyton and Rev. W. S. Davis. After memoirs of each one of these ministers, many of their associates present pa'd verbal tribute to their memory. Members of conference preached in most of the pulpits of the city Sunday morning and again in the evening.

IMMIGRATION MOVEMENT.

Committee Makes Proposals as to Restriction—The Conditions.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Sentimental consideration in restricting immigration should be waived in lieu of the economic problems arising from adverse efforts on wages and living conditions, which the large number of aliens have had in recent years by their entry into basic industries, according to the final report of the immigration commission transmitted to Congress today. The commission unanimously urges the restriction of unskilled labor immigration. The commission, created under the immigration act of 1907, expired today and the results of its three year investigation into practically all phases of the immigration question make about 40 printed volumes.

"The present immigration movement," says the report, "is in large measure due to economic causes, but emigration from Europe is not now an absolute economic necessity and as a rule those who immigrate to the United States are impelled by a desire for better conditions rather than by the necessity of escaping from intolerable ones. This fact should largely modify the natural incentive to treat the immigration movement from the standpoint of sentiment and permits its consideration primarily as an economic problem."

The commission presents for the consideration of Congress several proposals by which restriction of immigration might be effected, including a reading and writing test, the exclusion of unmarried unskilled laborers, limitations in the number arriving at any one port and from particular races, as well as in the amount of money required to be in their possession on arrival.

The immigrants now coming, it is agreed do not furnish any more criminals or subjects for charity than the native born, but the tendency toward industrial and city life remains unchanged in spite of the fact that statistics show the immigrants to have been more successful in agricultural pursuits.

In connection with these conditions the report purges that the division of information in the Bureau of Immigration be so conducted as to co-operate with the States and various societies in a more beneficial way to immigrants in agricultural sections where they are especially needed.

Efforts to exclude all British East Indians through an agreement with Great Britain, the continuance of the present Chinese exclusion laws as well as present regulations with regard to Japanese and Korean immigration, the passage of the House bill for the deportation of alien criminals with changes in the immigration law to make it applicable to alien seamen, and the appointment of an additional assistant Secretary of Commerce and Labor to determine immigration appeals, are specifically recommended.

BICYCLES RACE TO TIE.

Result at End of Third Lap in New York Last Night.

New York, Dec. 5.—Fourteen teams wer still wheeling around Madison Square Garden tonight in the six day bicycle race. At 10 o'clock the 22 hour score showed all tied at 481 miles. This beats the former record for the hour of 476 miles, seven laps made in 1909.

All of the 14 teams remaining in the six day bicycle race were tied at midnight, at the close of the 24th hour, with 522 miles, three laps. This is only one lap less than six better than the former record for the hours, made by Anderson and Vanoni.

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REPARATION CLAIMS.

Aggregating More Than $100,000 Filed With Commerce Commission.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Reparation claims, aggregating more than $100,000 already have been filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission under the decision of the Commission and the United States Supreme Court in the Burnham-Hanna-Munger case. This was the proceeding in which the commission ordered a reduction of the class freight rates from Eastern points of origin to points in the middle West.

The commission has received the date 707 claims in reparation. About 450 of them are claims applying to shipments originating in Atlantic seaboard and Eastern trunk line territories; about 200 apply to shipments originating at various points East of the Mississippi river and North of the Ohio; and approximately 60 are on shipments originating in the Central Freight Association and Southern territories, which passed westward through the Mississippi river transfers.

In addition to the claims already on file with the commission other claims will be presented and the liklihood is that, eventually, the aggregate will be in the neighborhood of a quarter of a million of dollars. Final disposition of these claims probably will hinge upon the result of the new Burnham-Hanna-Munger case, which has been set for hearing in Chicago, December 21st.

TAXICAB STRIKE OVER.

Men Voted to Accept Proposition of Companies—Gaynor.

New York, Dec. 5.—The strike by the taxicab chauffeurs, which have been vexing New York for several weeks, and has led to considerable violence, ended tonight. The men voted to accept the proposal submitted several days ago by the taxicab companies, which they previously rejected.

Mayor Gaynor met a committee of strikers today and urged them to reconsider their decision. The chauffeurs at a meeting tonight voted, 530 to 472 to do so. They will return to work tomorrow with the understanding that their grievances shall be taken up by December 10th, by committees from the men and from the companies. The chauffeurs are not to wear union buttons and there is to be no discussion of union matters between the men and the companies. All strikers except those found guilty of violence during the sctrike are to have their former places.

The chauffeurs sought to establish the "closed shop" principle, but yielded this point under the terms of the settlement.

BIG FIRE AT SUMTER.

Destroyed Large Number of Tenant Houses and Small Stores.

Sumter, S. C., Dec. 5.—Thirteen frame buildings, eight stores and five dwellings, occupied by colored tenants, on Manning avenue and Bee street, west, were destroyed by fire at 2 o'clock this morning.

The loss is about $6,000 on the buildings.

Most of the stocks and furniture were saved except those of E. W. Dines and J. J. Wright, whose loss will be about $1,000 on their stock. There was little insurance.

The buildings were owned by E. W. Dines, Rev. O. H. Hopkins, J. J. Wright, LeGrand Singleton, Sallie Belser, Emmaline Robinson, A. J. Stubbs and Neill O'Donnell, the last two named being white.

Rev. O. H. Hopkins, colored, after saving all of his furniture, discovered that his vest containing $50 in cash, was stolen. Hopkins dropped dead immediately upon making the discovery.

DREXEL OUT OF AERO CLUB.

Resignation Accepted Yesterday—His Apologies for Criticism.

New York, Dec. 5.—The resignation of J. Armstrong Drexel from the Aero Club of America, was accepted tonight by the board of governors, together with his apologies for the open criticism he made of the club's management of the International meet at Belmont Park, and its treatment of the foreign aviators entered. The club has not yet acted on the report received today from George S. Bliss, of the United States Weather Bureau, that the barograph Drexel took up with him on his Point Breeze flight is a reliable instrument and shows an altitude of 9,897 feet, a new world's record, but it is probable that the record will be allowed.

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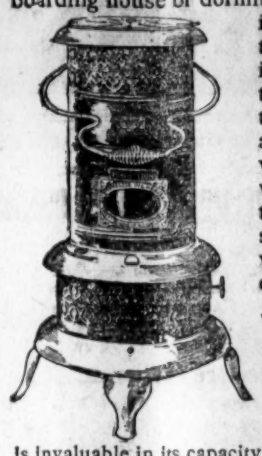

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STATE AND SAVINGS BANKS

Interesting Report Prepared by Corporation Commission—Negro for Electrocution—Acme Store Co., Chartered.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 5.—The aggregate resources and liabilities of the State and savings banks in North Carolina in 1910 compared with the aggregate resources and liabilities in 1900 is the subject of a most interesting and significant statement just gotten up in the office of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

It shows the development of the State and savings banks within ten years from 93 banks with $14,617,959 resources to 348 banks with $62,146,551, resources, a gain of $47,813,071. As to deposits an increase is shown for the ten years from $9,953,168 to $43,981,343.

During the ten years 12 banks have suspended and there have been only two of these 12 that caused any loss to creditors or depositors and both losses amounted to less than $20,000.

The capital stock of the State and savings banks has increased during ten years from $2,986,383 to $8,916,334, the surplus fund from $555,747 to $1,961,433 and undivided profits from $434,342 to $2,018,580; notes and bills rediscounted has grown in value from $196,698 to $1,066,361; loans and discounts have grown from $9,389,212 to $42,311,986; holdings in North Carolina State bonds from $163,123 to $264,500 while holdings in United States bonds have decreased from $26,200 to $1,400; holdings in all other stocks and bonds have increased from $545,324 to $1,627,841; value of banking houses and furniture have increased from $516,563 to $1,597,485; demand loans have grown from $265,68 to $1,806,521.

Phillip Mills, a negro, was brought here this morning from Transylvania county to await electrocution in the State's prison, February 10, for wife-murder. Sheriff C. C. Kilpatrick brought along at the same time two other negro prisoners to serve short terms for minor offenses.

The finance committee of the North Carolina State Board of Education will be in session tomorrow preparing its annual and biennial reports to be submitted on Wednesday to the full board in annual session, which will probably continue throughout the remainder of the week. The indications are that the reports of the various divisions and of the commissioner of agriculture will make by far the best showings of work accomplished and farming interests reached and benefited in the history of the department.

There were two charters issued today. One is for The Acme Store Co., Cronly, Brunswick county, capital $6,000 for general mercantile business, G. Herbert Smith, William Gilchrist and J. G. McCormick, incorporators. The other is to The Stokes Grocery Co., of Walnut Cove, capital $15,000 by Jno. G. Fulton and others.

Governor Kitchin was in the executive office today again, having just returned from Frankfort, Ky., where he attended the National Conference of Governors in session the past week. He says he had a most pleasant as well as quite a profitable trip.

Commissions went out from the office of the adjutant general for the National guard this morning to H. T. Shannonhouse as lieutenant junior grade, and to T. R. Brinn as ensign of Seventh Division, Naval Malitia, Hertford.

REV. A. B. HARRELL CALLED.

Asked to Become Pastor of Rocky Mount Church Man Missing.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Dec. 5.—Arlington Street Baptist Church, of this city, at a congregational meeing yesterday extended a call to the pastorate to Rev. A. B. Harrell, of Spring Hope, to succeed Rev. W. G. Hall, resigned. Rev. Mr. Harrell has been principal of the school at Spring Hope and has recently entered the Baptist ministry.

Friends have about given up the search for Mr. L. R. Council, the Westry's farmer who so mysteriously disappeared on Thanksgiving, while shaving. Mr. Council is about 40 years old and has a wife and five children. It will be recalled that one of the children remarked to Mr. Council that "Somebody's coming;" that he looked out and saw some one driving by; that he immediately left the house without coat, collar or hat and sped across the field in the direction of Stoney Creek. The creek has been dragged for his body but absolutely no trace of him has been found.

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DOINGS IN COLUMBUS.

Alleged White Cappers in Court—News of A General and Personal Nature.

Whiteville, Dec. 5.—The four men charged with organizing into white cappers in the Iron Hill section of this county, near Tarbor, were all found guilty by the jury. Judge Allen sentenced J. R. Reynolds and J. B. Wright to the roads for three months each, and M. A. and T. G. Spivey were required to appear before each court for the next year and show good behavior. They were required to give bond for this, and which bond was made. These are all white men, belonging to good families, and the charge against them is that they had drawn a black line around Iron Hill and would not permit any negro to come within it. They were charged with firing 32 shots into the house of a negro man.

This is one of the finest strawberry sections of Columbus county, and last Spring the berry crop brought $250,000. The growers employed Messrs. Lyon & Greer to assist the Solicitor in prosecuting the case, as a reign of terror was organized among the negroes, and they were all moving away. The farmers say unless they broke up this band of white cappers they would lose half of their crop, as the berries would rot in the field for lack of pickers.

Judge Allen sentenced the negro from Bolton, who snapped his pistol into the bosom of the town marshal, and then fought and tried to kill the officers sent to arrest him, to only pay a fine of $20, while another negro, who was found with an old worthless pistol on his person, with the cylinder held in by a stick, to three months on the roads.

Sunday morning there was a snow fall in Whiteville, but it did not long remain on the ground. The weather has been intensely cold and there is almost a wood famine in town, as negroes cannot be hired to cut it. They all have Christmas on the brain.

Mr. A. C. Oliver says he is on a deal to sell several more farms, and the demand for Columbus county land increases weekly. He says improvements are going up all over the county.

More home-raised hogs will be killed this Winter than ever before in the history of our county. Nearly every farmer you see says he will raise plenty of meat to do him.

One of the most interesting cases tried in court last week was over an automoble frightening a horse. It seems that Mr. Pritchard Lennon, a prominent business man of Chadbourn, was out in his motor care, when he met Mr. Hemingway, a farmer in his buggy. Mr. Lennon stopped his car, as also did Mr. Hemingway his buggy. The latter was told to pass on but declined to do so. Mr. Lennon then started, and in passing the buggy the horse took fright and wheeling around, broke the shafts, but did no further damage. The evidence showed that Mr. Lennon proposed to buy a new set of shafts, but the offer was declined. Mr. Hemingway then brought suit against Mr. non for malicious mischief, and leading lawyers were employed on both sides. After being out some time the jury made a mistrial, standing nine for acquittal and three for conviction. There is a deep-seated prejudice among the farmers against motor cars.

Saturday the County Teachers' Association met in Whiteville. There was one of the largest attendances ever known and a most interesting programme arranged. Whiteville threw wide open its gates to entertain the thrice-welcome visitors. Rev. F. T. Wooten, our county superintendent of education, has done a grand and noble work in the upbuilding of our public schools, and these conventions are a very great service in enthusing and encouraging teachers.

ANSON COUNTY OFFICERS.

Number of Changes in Official Board—Sworn In.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wadesboro, Dec. 5.—The new county officers were sworn in today and the ceremony was of unusual interest because of the many changes. In fact with the exception of the county commissioners and the county surveyor every office is filled by a new man. J. Q. A. Craig has been treasurer of the county for 18 years and is succeeded by P. P. Marsh. The other officers who took the oath today and filed their official bonds were: County commissioners, H. B. Allen, E. E. McRae, J. D. McGregor; Sheriff, R. J. Lowery; Register of Deeds, D. M. Johnson; Clerk of the Superior Court, W. K. Boggan; Coroner, Adam Green.

GAIN A LEGISLATOR.

Census Figures Entitle New Hanover to One Additional Member.

Washington, D. C. Dec. 5.—The population of North Carolina announced today is 2,206,287, a gain of 312,477 or 16 1-2 per cent. The State will in all probability retain its present membership of ten in Congress. However, it would lose out on the present membership of the house, but this membership will doubtless be increased. New Hanover has 32,037, an increase of 6,252 and will get in one member in the State house of representatives.

The following counties gain one member each in the house; Guilford, Durham, Nash, New Hanover and Lee; and the following lose one member each: Edgecombe, Beaufort, Wilkes, Sampson and Randolph. Towns and townships are not yet announced.

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NORTH CAROLINA POPULATION

Census Figures by Counties Are Announced From Washington—Gain of Over Three Hundred Thousand.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—The population of North Carolina, by the 13th census, is 2,206,287, an increase of 312,477. The census figures for the counties are as follows:

Alamance, 28,712; Alexander, 11,592; Allegheny, 7,745; Anson, 25,465; Ashe, 19,074; Beaufort, 30,877; Bertie, 23,039; Bladen, 18,006; Brunswick, 14,432; Buncombe 49,798; Burke, 21,408; Cabarrus, 26,240; Caldwell, 20,579; Camden, 5,640; Carteret, 13,776; Caswell, 14,858; Catawba, 27,918; Chatham, 22,635; Cherokee, 14,136; Chowan, 11,303; Clay, 3,909; Cleveland, 29,494; Columbus, 28020; Craven, 25,594; Cumberland, 35,284; Currituck, 7,693; Dare, 4,841; Davidson, 29,404;; Davie, 13,394; Duplin 25,442; Durham, 35,276; Edgecomb, 32,010; Forsyth, 47,311; Franklin, 24,692; Gaston, 37,063; Gates, 10,455; Graham, 4,749; Granville, 25,102; Greene, 13,083; Guilford, 60,497; Halifax 37,646; Harnett, 22,174; Haywood, 21,020; Henderson, 16,262; Hertford, 15,436; Hyde, 8,840; Iredell, 34,315; Jackson, 12,998; Johnston, 41,401; Jones, 8,721; Lee, 11,376; Lenoir 22,769; Lincoln, 17,132; McDowell, 13,538; Macon, 12,191; Madison, 20,132; Martin, 17,797; Mecklenburg, 67,031; Mitchell, 17,245; Montgomery, 14,967; Moore, 17,010; Nash, 33,727; New Hanover, 32,037; Northampton, 22,323; Onslow, 14,125; Orange, 15,064; Pamlico, 9,966; Pasquotank, 16,693; Pender, 15,471; Perquimans, 11,054; Person, 17,356; Pitt, 36,340; Polk, 7,640; Randolph, 29,491; Richmond, 19,673; Robeson, 51,947; Rockingham, 36,442; Rowan, 37,521; Rutherford, 28,385; Sampson, 29,982; Scotland, 15,363; Stanley, 19,909; Stokes, 20,151; Surry, 29,705; Swain; 10,403; Transylvania, 7,191; Tyrrell, 5,219; Union, 33,277; Vance, 19,425; Wake, 63,229; Warren 20,266; Washington, 11,062; Wautauga, 13,556; Wayne, 35,698; Wilkes, 30,282; Wilson, 28,269; Yadkin, 15,428; Yancey, 12,072.

SCHOONER WILL BE LOSS.

The Wishart Ashore on New Jersey Coast—Crew Saved.

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 5.—The three-masted schooner L. C. Wishart, from James River, Va., for New York is ashore on Little Egg Harbor bar and will probably be a total loss according to a report from the Little Beach Life Saving Station.

The crew of six men are at the Egg Harbor Life Saving Station. The Wishart went ashore yesterday on Brigantine shoals, a short distance above this city, but floated at high tide last night and proceeded up the coast apparently undamaged.

The schooner had gone only a short distance when it was driven on to Little Egg Harbor bar, by the heavy wind which prevailed along the coast all day.

The vessel is loaded with railroad ties and there seems to be little hope of saving it.

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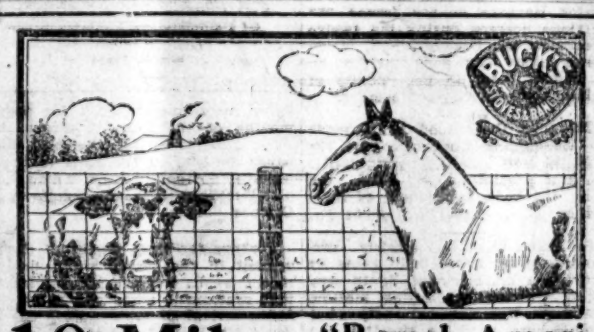

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These time tables are corrected to Nov. 28, 1910, but their correctness nor the arrivals and departures are not guaranteed, the figures being given as the best available information as to schedules of this company and its connections.

42	48		*Daily.	49	41
*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv.	WILMINGTON	Ar. 6 15pm	9 45am
10 05pm	11 37am	Ar.	Goldsboro	Lv. 2 59pm	6 40am
11 00pm	12 36pm	Ar.	Wilson	Lv. 1 52pm	5 49am
11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar.	Rocky Mount	Lv. 12 58pm	5 05am
2 15am	4 55pm	Ar.	Weldon	Lv. 11 30am	3 26am
4 00am	7 05pm	Ar.	Petersburg	Lv. 9 13am	1 40am
4 40am	8 00pm	Ar.	Richmond	Lv. 8 15am	1 00am
8 00am	11 50pm	Ar.	Washington	Lv. 4 20am	9 40pm
9 16am	1 15am	Ar.	Baltimore	Lv. 2 50am	8 20pm
11 35am	3 40am	Ar.	West Philadelphia	Lv. 12 19am	5 44pm
1 31pm	5 40am	Ar.	Manhattan Tr. (a)	Lv. 9 50pm	3 58pm
1 50pm	b3 50am	Ar.	NEW YORK (7th Ave. & 32nd St.)	Lv. *9 30pm	*3 38pm

(a)—Connections made at Manhattan Transfer with trains to and from Jersey City and thence with Desbrosses or Cortlandt street ferries and with Hudson River Terminal tubes to and from lower New York City.
b—Sleeper may be occupied until 7:30 A. M.

48 and 49—Pullman parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.

42 and 41—Pullman Broiler buffet sleeping cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains with Pullman service.

42	48		*Daily.	49	41
*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv.	WILMINGTON	Ar. 6 15pm	9 45am
11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar.	Rocky Mount	Lv. 12 58pm	5 05am
3 30am	1 20pm	Lv.	Rocky Mount	Ar. 12 55pm	10 35pm
4 13am	2 05pm	Ar.	Tarboro	Lv. 12 18pm	9 58pm
8 00am	5 55pm	Ar.	NORFOLK	Lv. *8 15am	*620pm

42 and 41—Pullman Broiler buffet sleeping cars, Wilmington and Norfolk.
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55	51		*Daily.	50	54
*3 15pm	*5 45am	Lv.	WILMINGTON	Ar. 11 40pm	1 40pm
7 25pm	9 30am	Ar.	Florence	Lv. 8 00pm	9 30am
2 25am	3 25pm	Ar.	Charleston	Lv. 4 37pm	5 25am
2 25am	3 30pm	Ar.	Savannah	Lv. 12 05pm	12 25am
11 55am	2 20am	Ar.	Albany	Lv. 1 25am	1 55pm
9 40am	1 45am	Ar.	Thomasville	Lv. 2 05am	2 05pm
5 50pm	8 50am	Ar.	Montgomery	Lv. 6 50pm	6 05am
7 15am	8 00pm	Ar.	JACKSONVILLE	Lv. 7 30am	7 55pm
2 05pm	2 10am	Ar.	Sanford, Fla.	Lv. 1 35am	2 55pm
7 00pm	7 00am	Ar.	TAMPA	Lv. 9 00pm	10 30am
8 55pm	8 00am	Ar.	ST. PETERSBURG	Lv. 8 15pm	6 45am
10 20pm	1 05pm	Ar.	FORT MYERS	Lv. *3 00pm	*6 45am

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55	51	*Daily.	32-50	54
*3 15pm	*5 45am	Lv. WILMINGTON	Ar. 11 40pm	1 40pm
7 25pm	9 30am	Ar. Florence	Lv. 8 00pm	9 30am
9 20pm	11 15am	Ar. Sumter	Lv. 5 55pm	7 40am
11 10pm	12 50pm	Ar. COLUMBIA	Lv. 4 10pm	6 00am
9 25am		Ar. AUGUSTA	Lv. 2 30pm	
11 50pm	1 10pm	Lv. COLUMBIA, Sou. Ry.	Ar	2 30pm 4 40am
5 30am	7 40pm	Ar. Saluda...Sou. Ry.	Lv.	8 45am 10 25pm
6 00am	8 15pm	Ar. Hendersonville..Sou.	Lv.	8 05am 9 50pm
7 00am	9 15pm	Ar. ASHEVILLE Sou. Ry.	Lv.	7 00am 8 50pm
7 20pm		Ar. Knoxville...Sou. Ry.	Lv.	*1 35am 7 40am
8 40am		Ar. Louisville...Sou. Ry.	Lv.	8 00am
8 00am		Ar. CINCINNATI Q. & C.	Lv.	*8 10pm

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Sleeping car leaving Wilmington 5:45 A. M. will be open to receive passengers at 10:00 P. M.

57	51	55	*Dly.	Dly. Ex. Sun.	xSun only.	54	50	58
7 30pm	*5 45am	*3 15pm	Lv.	WILMINGTON	Ar.	1 40pm	11 40pm	8 30am
9 15pm	7 28am	5 09pm	Ar.	CHADBOURN	Lv.	*11 40am	*9 56pm	6 25am
10 10pm	11 50am	x5 15pm	Lv.	CHADBOURN	Ar.	7 10am	5 00pm	6 15am
11 45pm	1 30pm	6 45pm	Ar.	CONWAY	Lv.	x5 40am	3 30pm	4 30am

61	53	*Daily.	Daily ex. Sun	60	52
6 30pm	*8 45am	Lv.	WILMINGTON	Ar.	10 15am	8 05pm
9 45pm	11 45am	Ar.	Fayetteville	Lv.	7 10am	4 50pm
9 45pm	12 10pm	Lv.	Fayetteville	Ar.	6 30am	4 45pm
11 10pm	1 40pm	Ar.	SANFORD	Lv.	5 05am	*3 30pm

62	64	*Daily.	Daily Except Sunday.	63	65
*3 25pm	5 50am	Lv.	WILMINGTON	Ar.	12 50pm	6 50pm
5 22pm	7 42am	Ar.	Jacksonville, N. C.	Lv.	10 55am	4 55pm
6 44pm	9 10am	Ar.	Nor. & Sou. Junction	Lv.	9 35am	3 32pm
6 50pm	9 15am	Ar.	NEWBERN, N. C.	Lv.	*9 30am	13 30pm

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10:00	10:45
11:30	12:15
1:00 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
2:00	2:45
3:00	3:45
3:30	4:45
4:30	5:15
5:30	6:25
6:10	6:50
7:10	7:50
8:30	9:15
10:00	10:45

SUNDAYS.

8:30 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
9:30	10:15
10:00	10:45
11:30	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:45
2:00 and every half hour until	2:45 and every half hour until
5:30	5:45
6:10	6:55
7:10	7:50
8:30	9:15
10:00	10:45

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Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	3:35 p m	1:30 a m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	7:05 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:25 p m	8:20 a m

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Dr. Cook now admits he might have been mistaken in believing he discovered the North Pole. We know of a man who must now be satisfied that he made a mistake in discovering "New Nationalism."

The Hon. John W. Kern of Indiana, dispite all the fun made of his whiskers, is determined to wear them in the United States Senate. The only good sign in whiskers is that they are tangible proof that a man's domestic relations are agreeable.

Among the numerous arguments used in the campaign in behalf of home rule in Ireland are $250,000 sent over by the sons of Erin who are making good American citizens. Arguments like that have their weight.

In one of the university football games up North tickets to the grounds sold as high as $25. Inevitably that will lead to increased competition between the spectators who view the games through knot holes in the fence.

A contemporary says: "Women are now demanding an equal share with men in politics." However, the ladies are going to find that men are not going to give in to them in politics with the same degree of submissiveness and alacrity that they have in religious matters.

Mayor Fitzgerald, of Boston, demands that campaign expenditures be limited. Col. Roosevelt also talks that way but he never thought of it till after he made the corporations come across with enough money to make the doubtful States safe for Roosevelt for President in 1904.

When Col. Roosevelt wants publicity he keeps open shop for the newspaper boys or performs a stunt that he knows will call for the limelight that ensures notoriety. No one need be surprised that he has now gone in his hole and pulled the hole in after him. He has laid in a big stock of publicity and seems to know when he has enough of it.

One of the new books just out is 'Courtship Under Contract." The heroine is a girl with "advanced" ideas and legal mind who stipulated a good many things that the fellow who wooed her had to agree to and "sign up." The contract was elaborately written but it turned out that she didn't consider it binding enough on her to keep her from letting another fellow come around and cut out the fellow who was under contract. Some men have pretty much the same idea of a contract as a girl.

The Southeastern Division of the Association of County Superintendents will meet in Wilmington next Thursday, Friday and Saturday. High School proncipals throughout the Division will also meet with the superintendents and it is anticipated that 60 or 75 educational workers will come to Wilmington on the occosion. It will be one more forward movement in behalf of the education that is so greatly uplifting the people and benefitting the State in every line of endeavor. No superintendent or principal should fail to attend and enjoy the splendid programme and social features of the gathering. Visitors to Wilmington always have a good time.

CAMPAIGN SLUSH FUNDS.

According to the official statement filed with the Secretary of State, it cost the Democrats $328,080 to carry the State of New York. It probably cost the Republicans more than that in trying to prevent the Democrats from carrying the State. State Democratic Chairman Winfield A. Huppuch, business partner of Governor elect John A. Dix, contributed $20,705 to the election fund. He must be a powerful patriotic Democrat with money to burn or he expects to get it back out of politics. Republicans and Democrats who spend vast sums of money in election do not do so for the fun of the thing. It ought to be stopped, or the campaign committees of both parties ought to be required to file with their statements sworn vouchers showing how they spent the money.

The people of this country ought to see to it that the money influence shall be cut out of their elections. We pretend to be afraid of Bryanism, "new nationalism" and "the man on horse-back," but we have more to fear from the money which debauches the voters and destroys the manhood of politicians, than from all other causes combined. We see little hope of any country or State where money talks during a campaign.

It has gotten so, even in North Carolina, that only a man with a pocket full of money, or interests back of him with money, need hope to aspire to office, either in securing a nomination or winning his election. The man without money is simply not in it and the money feature in politics will deter many a good man from either seeking or accepting a political office and will let in many an undesirable man with money gotten either honestly or dishonestly, it matters not which so far as the use of the money in a political campaign goes.

The campaign cost the Democrats about 40 cents a piece for every man, woman child in New York State, and probably the same amount or more was spent by the Republicans. If the truth were known the two parties spet anywhere from $1 to $5 per head for the nearly ten million inhabitants in New York. There are some very necessary and perfectly legitimate expenses attached to a campaigns but there isn't any room for slush funds and jack-pots. At any rate, individual subscriptions should be limited by law and it should be absolutely unlawful for certain and special interests to contribute a cent to either party.

There is room for great reform in this money business in elections and if it is necessary the penitentiary should be freely used to punish violation of election laws and debauchment of the voters and manhood of this country. The money argument must go, and so far as North Carolina is concerned we hope to see less display of "the long green" in our primaries and State elections. The boodler posing as a Democrat or a Republican, should be scotched like a snake.

The Star understands indirectly that Senator-elect Joseph A. Brown, of Chadbourn, Columbus county, will at the sitting of the General Assembly in January, introduce a bill which will aim to prevent extravagant, wrongful and corrupt use of money in politics. Where money is so lavishly used in either a primary or a general election it is bound to be misused in a great many instances. There can be no doubt about that, and if Senator Brown's bill will serve to call a halt on the fingering of candidates' money and the funds of selfish interests concerned in electing or defeating candidates, he will do a great service in preserving the incorruptibility of the great mass of voters in North Carolina.

The liberal use of money in all kinds of campaigns has gotten so it is looked upon as a matter of course. We first endure it, then tolerate it, then embrace it as a method quite necessary in the game of politics. The whole business should have a squasher put on it hard and fast before it is too late.

PRINCIPLES CAN'T MIX.

It is said the Tennessee fusionists can't pull together and that fusion is already in a chaotic state. The attempt to unite men with divergent political principles is as impossible as the utterly hopeless task of mixing oil and water. A party must be composed of a majority who are practically of one mind concerning its principles or else it contains within it the element of disorganization and disruption. "A house dvided against itself will fall." Fusion of men differing politically but coming together for the spoils of office is an incongrous political mass that deserves disintegration and failure. Principles can't mix.

The Unionists leaders in Great Brittian have dropped the tariff issue. Doubtless they have noticed how the tariff issue dropped the Republican leaders in America.

COAST LINE INTO CHARLOTTE.

It is said that "Charlotte wants to tap the Southbound." We rather suspect that the Southbound wants to tap Charlotte. We don't see very well how the Southbound could run so close to a city of the present importance and future prospects of Charlotte without realizing that soner or later the Charlotte connection will have to be made. When it was announced that the Southbound would be built by the Atlantic Coast Line and the Norfolk and Western, we figured it out then that it was inevitable that the Coast Line would soner or later make Charlotte an objective point. A movement for Charlotte to be connected with the Southbound, or for the Southbound to be connected with Charlotte, would not be a matter of the latest surprise to this deponent. Per contra, we would be perfectly astonished if such a connection is not made in short order. In fact, the Charlotte Evening Chronicle is already on record with the declaration that the Charlotte folks will build a 40-mile railroad to Norwood or Albemarle so as to give the Queen City connection with the Southbound. No doubt Charlotte wants connection with the Southbound but we should say that the Southbound would want it as bad as Charlotte.

FRESH AIR TREATMENT.

Dr. Arnold Loraud, of Carlsbad, is the author of a recent book, entitled "Old Age Deferred." He tells the ladies how to keep young and vigorous instead of going around complaining and whining and keeping dope around the house for headache. He recommends exercise and plenty of fresh air. He demonstrates that air is a tonic, and the hills and streams an inspiration. The beauties of nature are free and recreation can be taken by everybody in spite of the fact that they are busy. Those who are not busy are generally the ones who need more fresh air and recreation than anybody else and the woman or man who is housed up all the time is to blame for feeling like they "haven't got a thing to live for." The Doctor is right. Get a move on yourself. Kick up your heels. Get rid of your grouch and get a new view of life. Get the habit and it will grow on you.

Champ Clark says his full name is "Beauchamp." Oh you, Beau!

A scientist says natural gas continues to form in the earth. The same thing will be noticed about natural gas in the session of Congress which begins today.

CURRENT COMMENT.

A sympathetic publisher says: "Marie Correlli gets nothing but roasts." What does she expect? Terapin stew and champaign?—Richmond News Leader.

New Hanover county issued 353 marriage licenses during the twelve months ending December 1st, which shows Cupid has been strictly on his job, at least in the vicinity of Wilmington.—Charlotte Observer.

Mr. John Underwood has made the Wilmington stockholders of the proposed new hotel for Wrightsville Beach a proposition to build the hotel, and if he takes hold of it, it will be built.—Fayeteville Observer.

The meat trust has already prepared to offset lower tariff rates by securing a monopoly of South American beef and Australian mutton. That's all right. A monopoly of a product hurts us not a bit—it is the power to fix prices that hurts. A monopoly that only exists while it sells lower than its competitor is all right—a price practically fixed by low shuts out competition and robs power to fix prices and then monopol power to fix prices and then conopolies fall to pieces of their own weight.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

With the completion of the deep waterway from Beaufort to Pamlico Sound, Morehead City, Beaufort and Oriental will celebrate the event in an elaborate and appropriate manner. This is an achievement worthy of celebrating inasmuch as it will mean much for the commerce of this State. North Carolina has made wonderful progress during the last year and the completion of this channel means just the dawn of this work in the State. Such a celebration as is planned to mark the opening of this waterway, will mean more interest manifested in the work by all residents of the State and will mean in addition the consumation of other plans of the same nature in the near future.—Durham Sun.

Labrador is an unknown region to most people, but a glance at the map will show that it is a vast peninsular with a total area of 500,000 square miles, lying north of Belle Isle strait and embraced in the north temperate zone, the southern section lying along the same paralles as the great wheat growing areas of western Canada. Newfoundland owns and administers the eastern section of Labrador, fronting on the Atlantic, and expeditions have explored it for some years past, but, naturally only superficially, because its immensity of area is such as to preclude a detailed investigation. The official reports, however, show that the country is splendidly wooded, and that in Hamilton inlet, Sandwich bay, and other districts on the east coast there is splendid timber and some of the greatest water powers in the world, while the region being open to navigation for seven months of the year, possesses the same advantages for the pulp and paper industry as the mills in those parts of northern Europe which supply European centers today.—New Orleans States.

Perhaps the most important development in the textile world during recent weeks was the announcement that systematic plans are underway for a revival of the export cotton goods trade with China. This is good news to many mills of the South. In fact, it is good news to all, for the shrinkage in export business has affected not alone mills which cater to this line of trade, but the interests of the entire industry. When it is stated that a few years ago the volume of cotton goods trade of Southern mills amounted to $16,000,000 annually with China, and that today practically no business is done, the importance of any steps looking to a restoration of demand can be more fully appreciated. It is said that the Dukes, working in conjunction with manufacturers of the Carolinas, have decided to locate in various points in China cloth depots, where goods may be disposed of. Mr. Duke is quoted as expressing the belief that by handling several standard grades of goods at such depots, little difficulty will be encountered in selling cotton goods. This method of procedure was employed by the American Tobacco Company, with satisfactory results, and today there are fifty tobacco depots in China, doing a large business. Numerous mills in this vicinity, which made goods especially for the China trade have suffered seriously from the accumulation of stocks, and the general industry has felt the effects of the clogged and unsatisfactory condition. An agent of the Dukes has been in China investigating the situation, and while his report has not been made public, it is believed that it will be satisfactory. The Dukes are largely interested in numerious big mills in this section, and they plan, as reported, to handle the products of other mills, on a commission basis. This is in deed good news, and the textile industry will watch with interest the progress of the efforts to revive trade relations which for the past two years have scarcely existed.—Charlotte News.

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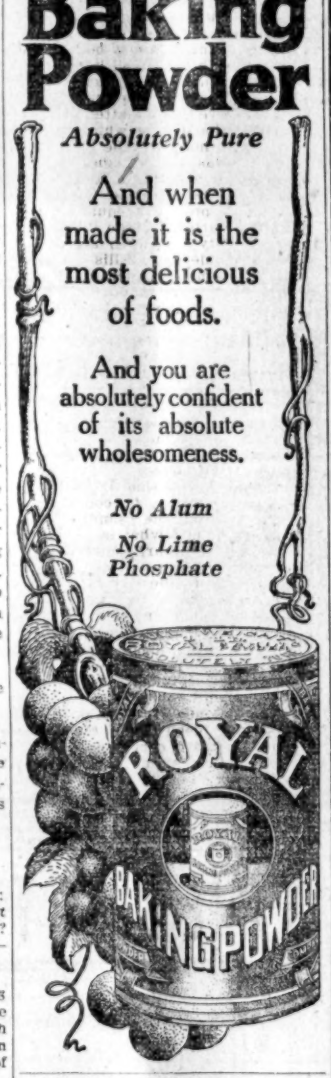

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Memorial Services Arranged—Senator Overman a Speaker.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Memorial services in honor of the late Chief Justice Fuller are to be held next Saturday in the Supreme Court of the United States.

Richard Olney, of Massachusetts, will preside and will deliver an address.

S. S. Gregory, of Illinois, will present resolutions, expressing the regret of the bar of the court over the death of the late chief justice. Remarks will be made by Alton B. Parker, of New York; A. J. Montague, of Virginia; Senator Overman, of North Carolina, and H. A. M. Smith, of South Carolina, and others.

FAMOUS ARTIST PASSES.

Constant Tys Dies In New York of Heart Disease.

New York, Dec. 5.—Constant Tys, aged 58, one of the foremost artists in making wax images in this country, died here suddenly today of heart disease. Mr. Thys had for a number of years been consulting artist for the field museum in Chicago, the Smithsonian Institute and Washing and the American Museum of Natural History here.

He was a native of Belgium.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 5.—James Jones, aged 73, widely known as a Norfolk restauranteur, died today. He was a native of Athens, Greece, but had been in business in Norfolk for 50 years when he retired a few years ago because of ill health.

New Gold Galore.

The Wilmington Savings and Trust Company is displaying an alluring uspply of new gold coins, brand new from the Philadelphia mint, and brought out by the company for the demands of its customers at the yuletide season. The coins are in demoninations of $2.50, $5.00 and $10.00, and make a most attractive and acceptable Xmas present. This in the tenth year the Savings and Trust Company has anticipated the wants of its customers by ordering out new gold in advance, and they advise that the demand has grown wonderfuly within that time. Last season three separate orders and more than $5,000.100 in amount were necessary in order to "go around." But this does not appear so wonderful, after all, when it is remembered that the company now has upwards of 13,000 open accounts on its books. The Savings and Trust Company will be glad to supply the new gold coins to friends or customers upon request.

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COUNTY'S NEW FISCAL YEAR

Boad of Commissioners in Regular Monthly Session Yesterday Afternoon—Officers Sworn In, Bonds, Etc.

"Ring out the old and ring in the new," was the order at the Court House yesterday afternoon upon the occasion of the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Commissioners, which organized for the ensuing fiscal year, accepted the bonds of all officers and awarded a number of contracts for supplies for the ensuing year, at the same time re-electing practically all the appointive officers under the Board.

The only change in the personnel of the Board is in the case of Mr. J. T. Kerr, of Cape Fear township, who replaces Mr. J. A. Montgomery, who did not stand for re-election. Mr. Kerr was present yesterday afternoon, took the oath of office as prescribed and was cordially welcomed to membership in the body. Other members in attendance were Chairman D. McEachern, Messrs. H. L. Vollers, M. W. Divine and Col. John VanB. Metts.

The minutes of previous meetings were read and approved. The newly elected Board of Commissioners each took the oath of office before Col. Jno. D. Taylor, Clerk of the Superior Court, after which the clerk, Mr. John Haar, called the meeting to order. Upon motion of Commissioner Vollers and seconded by Commission Divine, Commissioner McEachern was unanimously re-elected chairman. County officers then were duly sworn in as follows:

Jno. D. Taylor, Clerk of the Superior Court, in the sum of $10,000 with Mr. James Sprunt and Mr. B. F. Hall as sureties.

John Haar, Register of Deeds, in the sum of $10,000 with Messrs. E. P. H. Strunck, J. W. Duls., Jurgen Haar, Martin Schnibben and J. G. L. Geischen as sureties.

S. P. Cowan, Sheriff, process bond in the sum of $5,000 with Messrs. M. J. Corbett, H. C. McQueen and J. V. Grainger as sureties. Bond for public taxes in the sum of $45,000 with M. J. Corbett, J. V. Grainger and H. C. McQueen as sureties. Bond for County, poor, school and special taxes in the sum of $50,000 with same sureties.

H. McL. Green, treasurer, bond for general fund in the sum of $50,000, with C. W. Yates, Walter Taylor and J. V. Grainger as sureties. lor and J. W. Grainger as securities. Bond for road fund, in the sum of $100,000 with R. R. Stone, R. R. Bellamy, E. C. Holt and C. E. Taylor, Jr., as sureties. Bond for school fund in the sum of $60,000 with C. N. Evans, H. C. McQueen, J. A. Taylor and J. W. Yates as sureties.

C. D. Bell, coroner, in the sum of $2,000 with Solomon Sternberger and Julius Sternberger as sureties.

W. B. Savage, constable, in the sum of $1,000 with W. E. Springer and John Barry as sureties.

Geo. R. Smith, constable of Harnett township, in the sum of $1,000 with J. B. Fales and J. O. Grimes as sureties.

Upon recommendation of two members of the Board of Assessors, property of E. A. King was increased in valuation to $1,200. It was ordered that the property at Carolina Place be investigated as to ownership of lots prior to June 1st, the matter being referred to the Board of Assessors, Chairman McEachern and Commissioner Metts. R. N. Carney was exempted from poll tax on account of physical disability. J. Mack Moore, of Cape Fear township, was relieved of poll tax on account of over-age. Application of J. W. Scott with reference to property at Winter Park Heights, was referred to the same committee as on Carolina Place.

Annual reports of the chairman of the Board, clerk of Superior Court, Clerk of Recorder's Court and Register of Deeds were referred to the Auditing Board and will be published later as required by law. The clerk of the Recorder's Court for the fiscal year ended Nov. 30th, 1910, shows a total of 1,591 cases disposed of, sentences being imposed as follows: County Farm, 93 for an aggregate of 11 years and five months; County Roads, 246 for an aggregate of 49 years and nine months. Fines and costs were collected as follows: Costs, $3,409.23; fines and forfeitures, $2,534.75. Seven cases were sent to the Superior Court for lack of jurisdiction and 16 cases were appealed to the higher court.

Bon Bryant, colored, Cape Fear township, was exempted from poll tax on account of over age. Several slight corrections in real estate assessments were ordered made upon investigation.

Bids for furnishing the county with ice from the Independent Ice Co., and Plate Ice Co., being the same as charged city customers, no contract was made.

G. C. Simmons was re-elected County Standard Keeper and S. C. Winer as keeper of the county clock under present arrangement. Bid of Springer Coal Co., for fuel, was accepted.

Matter of keeping Oak Grove cemetery and burying the county poor was referred to Commissioner Metts with a view of arriving at a more satisfactory arrangement. Contract for burying the poor was awarded to W. W. King at $4.50 each.

Mr. W. A. Williams was re-elected Clerk of the Auditing Board and Custodian of the Court House building at the same salary as heretofore. Several applications for janitor of the building were referred to Mr. Williams. Mr. W. H. Shearin was awarded the contract for keeping county convicts under the same arrangement as last year and Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy were re-elected county attorneys.

The monthly report of the superintendent of health, was read showing 101 patients treated in the office, 86 cases of smallpox and 9 of scarlet fever, 10 of diphtheria. Three of the smallpox cases were quarantined on Bradley's Creek, near Greenville Station. There has been little sickness in the camps. Vaccination is general among the convicts, only a few failing to take. The guards should be required to be vaccinated.

After informally discussing a number of matters the Board took a recess subject to call.

CIVIL TERM SUPERIOR COURT

Convened Yesterday Morning with Judge H. W. Whedbee, Presiding—Several Cases Were Disposed of During the Day.

With Judge H. W. Whedbee, of Greenville, presiding, the regular one week December term of New Hanover county Superior Court for the trial of civil cases only, convened shortly after 10 o'clock yesterday morning and satisfactory progress was made on the docket during the day. The cases on the calendar for Friday were moved up to Thursday. It is hardly probably that court will be in session the entire week.

The first case heard yesterday was that of S. J. Davis against the Consolidated Railways Light & Power Co., for damages in the sum of $600 for the killing of two horses by a suburban car near Macomber's some time ago. Negligence was alleged in that the moterman did not exercise the proper care to prevent the car striking the animals, which had broken away and ran upon the company's tracks. After the testimony for the plaintiff had been concluded counsel for the defendant company lodged a motion to nonsuit under the Hinsdale act. The motion was allowed by Judge Whedbee. The plaintiff excepted and appealed to Supreme Court. Hon. John D. Bellamy and Herbert McClammy, Esq., apeared for the plaintiff, while Thos W. Davis and Marsden Bellamy, Esqs., represented the defendant company.

The cases of Don C. B. VanDuzen against A. J. McKinnon & Co. and Eliza Herring against Mary Russell, et al., were continued by consent.

Wm. Elliot, colored, was granted divorce from his wife Annie Elliot.

The next case tried was that of H. F. Boney against B. S. Jones & Co. for an amount alleged to be due the plaintiff for buying strawberries, etc., for the defendant. The jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $209.70 and interest on $113.75 from May 1st, 1903. Rountree & Carr appeared for the plaintiff.

Late yesterday afternoon the case of W. H. Chadbourn, et al., against the Brunswick Wood & Coal Co. was taken up. The case is relative to the ownership of some piling which were sold to the defendant in the action. The first witness was Mr. L. J. Merriman, one of the plaintiffs. Several other witnesses were examined after which court took a recess until today.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Large Number of Drunks Before His Honor Yesterday.

Twelve defendants answered to the charge of drunkenness in the Recorder's court yesterday, most of the number being picked up by the officers late Saturday night. They were assessed the usual amount for such offenses. Martha Wilson, colored, who was arrested Saturday night on complaint of Tom Costen, a white man, who cahrged that she stole a cabbage, which she had in her possession, was released, the prosecutor failing to appear. The woman, however, was denied the use of the cabbage for her Sunday dinner as she spent the day in the city prison in default of bond. Mary Murrell and Lizzie Jackson, colored, were found not guilty of an affray. However, the Murrell woman was found guilty of assault on Lizzie Jackson and sentenced to 30 days on the county farm for this sentence. It developed that she resisted arrest and for this was given an additional three months. A case against Frank Wood, colored, for assault on his wife, was continued until Wednesday, as was also the case against Andrew Capps and Jas. A. Hewlett, charged with an affray.

BODY TAKEN TO VERONA.

Burial There of Mr. Purcell Shepard Who Died in This City.

The body of Mr. Purcell Shepard, whose death occurred Saturday night at the James Walker Memorial Hospital of typhoid fever of a few week's duration, was taken Sunday afternoon to Verona, Onslow county, where the interment took place yesterday. Mr. Shepard was 20 years old and had made Wilmington his home for several years, making his home with his sister, Mrs. L. L. Shepard, No. 614 South Fifth street, from whence the funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. G. A. Martin, pastor of Southside Baptist Church, in the presence of a number of friends and relatives. The pallbearers were Messrs. B. M. Hill, J. H. Litgen, Clyde King and S. W. Shepard.

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ELKS' LODGE OF SORROW

Annual Memorial Exercises Held Sunday Afternoon at Academy—Dr. E. N. Calisch of Richmond, Va., the Orator.

In common with every city in the land large enough to have a lodge of Elks, members of Wilmington Lodge, No. 532, Benevolent Order of Elks, gathered at the Academy of Music Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in solemn session to hold memorial exercises over those brothers who have been summoned to the Grand Lodge above, but whose memories are forever kept green by those not yet subject for memorial exercises. There was a large attendance of the members of the lodge and in addition several hundred friends and others who find great pleasure in annually attending these beautiful and impressive exercises.

Members of the lodge assembled at their Temple at 3 o'clock and shortly thereafter marched in a body to the Academy of Music and took seats which had been reserved for them. The officers, with the exception of some who answered questions of the Exalted Ruler on the significance of the occasion, were seated upon the stage, as were also the orator of the occasion and the soloists. Those excepted occupied a seat in the balcony and in the orchestra. The stage had been tastefully and appropriately decorated.

The exercises began with a prelude by the orchestra, following which the hymn, "O, God of Bethel" (Mason), was sung, and then there was a selection by the quartette composed by Miss Lucy McIntosh, soprano; Mrs. Jas. D. Smith, alto; Mr. Chas. Dushan, tenor; Mr. H. K. Holden, bass; Mr. Alf. H. Yopp, playing the accompaniment. This was followed by remarks by the Exalted Ruler, Louis Goodman, Esq., who presided. He spoke earnestly and eloquently of the significance of the occasion, which is a reminded of the fact that all were born to die and that sooner or later all whose lips now breathe fraternal gretings will be silent. These gatherings, he said, tend to cement the ties of brotherly love and it is a beautiful custom and a pleasant duty to meet annually and keep green the memory of those whose hands have relaxed the clasp of brotherhood. He asked the secretary, Mr. James Owen Reilly, to call the roll of the brothers whose voices have been stilled for all time. As each name was called the second time a light shown on the white arch, decorated with greens, which had been arranged on the stage. The following are the members of the lodge who have pasesd to the beyond; and in the honor of whose memory the exercises were held: Col. F. W. Foster, R. L. Gates, R. E. Zachary, E. P. Bailey, John H. Gore, Edgar J. Bear, J. F. Ong, Felix H. Kluttz, L. P. Aaron, John W. Wright, Leo Loeb, Isaac M. Bear, James W. Monroe and S. H. Fishblate.

After the singing of the opening ode, "Great Ruler of the Universe," and the lodge ceremonies, the Exalted Ruler declared the lodge open, following which Miss Lucy McIntosh delighted the audience with a solo, "Hear Not Ye, O Israel," and a most fervent prayer was then offered by the chaplain, Rev. Dr. James Carmichael.

The orator of the day was Rev. Dr. Edward N. Calisch, of Richmond, Va., and he was presented in a laudatory speech by the Exalted Ruler, who expressed the peculiar pleasure of the lodge at having such a distinguished divine and charity worker as the eulogist of the occasion. Dr. Calisch said that he greatly appreciated the kind words which had been said to him since his arrival in Wilmington, but he felt, however, that this was an hour when the man should disappear, the personality of any man should be lost in the occasion which had drawn the gathering. Dr. Calisch said that in this age of great progress in all lines of endeavor, when everything is pressing forward at a tremendous rate, it is but meet and proper that people should turn rom the roar and bustle of modern industry and stop to pay tribute to those who have passed from earth, to the sweeter and tenderer things of life. He said that if the Elks' did no more than hold annual memorail exercises it would justify its existence, but it does more. It has four cardinal virtures, Charity, Brotherly Love and Fidelity, which are the very foundation of our country. He spoke at some length of the principles of the order. Charity most appeals to the popular mind and next is Justice. If Charity be the heart of humanity, then Justice is its soul, he said. When Justice shall obtain among men then will be the millennial dawn, the dawn of man's perfected civilization. Now to these two great principles the Elks' add Brotherly Love and Fidelity, which are to the order what arms are to the body. The order has this fifth virtue, or annually meeting together for solemn memorial exercises, an appeal to the heart. The roll call of those who have gone before, call to mind others near to us who hove passed over the river and so through the exercises the entire audience is touched. There is no fireside but that has one vacant chair. Dr. Calisch devoted the latter part of his address to observations relative to the immortality of the soul; bringing out the point that man was born to die, that God has merely loaned him for a brief time on earth, that he will be called away and that "if man dies he shall live again." Dr. Calisch is a deep thinker and a fine speaker and his address was one of the best ever heard in this city on a similar occasion.

After a selection by the orchestra the hymn, "Still, Still With Thee, My God," was sung, followed by the closing ceremonies of the lodge and the singing of "I Will Lay Me Down In Peace," by the quartette. The exercises came to a close with the benediction pronounced by Dr. Carmichael.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Rather Short Session Last Night at Which Routine Matters Were Considered—Sewerage Bonds Again Discussed.

Members of the Board of Aldermen were not disposed to linger as long as usual last night and the business of the regular monthly session was transacted in a little over an hour and a half. It seemed to be the desire of the meeting to consider as few matters as possible; to take up only such matters as needed immediate attention or were thrust upon the session for consideration.

The meeting was called to order shortly before 8 o'clock by Mayor MacRae who presided, with all members in attendance except Alderman Louis E. Hall. After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting by City Clerk and Treasurer Fowler the reports for the month of November from the several departments were read. These reports have previously been given in The Star. Alderman Bonitz, chairman of the streets and wharves committee, reported the purchase of 10 horses to take the place of the city teams lost in the Orrell livery fire a few weeks ago and stated that the city should make some arrangements for the keep and feed of the city teams, this now being done by contract with the Orrell livery stables. He called upon Mr. Grant, superintendent of streets, to make a statement relative to the matter. Mr. Grant said that the shed in which the teams are kept is not desirable quarters and that he was not satisfied with the quantity or quality of the feed the teams are getting. He thought that $500 would provide adequate and comfortable quarters for the teams on the city property at Fourth and Princess streets. Alderman Ellis made the point that the contract for the keep and feed of the teams had been given to the Orrell livery stable and did not think it right to make a change in the middle of the fiscal year. No action was taken on the proposition.

Chairman Fales, of the market committee, reported that the market house wharf was still in a dangerous condition and recommended that $500 be appropriated to make the needed repairs. The motion was later withdrawn at the suggestion of Alderman West who asked that the Mayor appoint a committee to confer with a committee from the Commercial Club to ascertain just what is needed here in the way of wharf facilities and let this aldermanic committee also secure estimates as to the cost of improving the market house wharf. The suggestion of Alderman West was put in the form of a motion and carried. The Mayor appointed Aldermen Fales, Stone and Bonitz.

As chairman of the water and sewerage committee, Alderman Hinton said that he advertised twice for bids for sinking deep wells recently ordered and that no bids had been received. It looked to him as if the board would have to increase the appropriation for this work as one contractor stated that he would not make a bid for less than $200 a well. Upon motion the committee was authorized to insert the third advertisement for bids.

Alderman B. O. Stone, for the finance committee, stated that the Wilmington Savings and Trust Co., wished to withdraw its recent offer to purchase the remaining $100,000 worth of water and sewerage bonds for $100,001. Hon. John D. Bellamy was present and renewed for the American National Bank that bank's offer to purchase the bonds at par, giving the city the right at any time within six months from date of sale to repurchase the bonds at par, if the city during that time could secure a better offer. The proposition contains a proviso, however, that the bank be given the city's daily checking account, and upon the minimum balance at the end of each month the bank would pay 4 per cent. interest. Mr. Bellamy said that at the last meeting something was said to the effect that if the Aldermen should designate the bank to be used by the City Clerk and Treasurer for his daily checking account the action would relieve the officer of the responsibility and also his bondsmen. Mr. Bellamy was not prepared to admit the contention, but stated that the bank would give bond in any amount to cover any possible loss.

Alderman Stone said that he felt that there was nothing before the Aldermen as the Board of Audit and Finance had not acted upon the proposition of the Murchison National Bank to lend the city any amount desired within the next six months. He stated further that it was not the desire of the board to sell the bonds now, for it is likely that a better offer will be made next year, but what is desired is to be in position to say to the Water and Sewerage Commission go ahead with the sewerage plant, the money will be forthcoming when needed. A member of the board having inquired as to what the minutes show relative to the proposition of the Murchison National Bank, City Clerk and Treasurer Fowler stated that the proposition had never been accepted by the Board of Aldermen, therefore, had never been brought before the Board of Audit and Finance for concurrence; that he (Mr. Fowler) had been directed to write the Murchison National Bank thanking the institution for the offer and stating that the "offer may be accepted." It will be recalled that at the meeting at which the proposition of the bank was read the Aldermen took the position that it was not necessary to accept or reject the proposition as the city had six months in which to do either, but instructed the clerk to acknowledge receipt of the offer. There has really been nothing relative to this proposition before the Audit and Finance upon which to take action.

Upon motion of Alderman Hinton the proposition of the American National Bank was laid upon the table until the next meeting.

C. H. Thomas, colored, who has been conducting a confectionery store at Seventh and Castle streets, was allowed to exchange his license for restaurant license. License was refused W. H. King to conduct a restaurant at 323 South Seventh street. J. H. Quarles & Co. were granted restaurant license to do business in basement of The Orton and Amelia Edge, colored,

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The Spirit That Wins

Persistence and doggedness oftenest bring results. One of our depositors started a savings account four different times. Three times he was forced to withdraw his savings to pay for life necessities, but he is still with us and now has a wall of dollars between himself and possible sickness or want. His is the spirit that wins against all odds, and his savings account with us helps.

THE PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK

That Big White Building
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New Gold Coins for Xmas

In accordance with our custom for the past ten years, we have received direct from the Philadelphia mint a full supply of brand new gold coins for the needs of our friends and patrons desiring to use them for Xmas remembrances. Denominations of $2.50, $5.00 and $10.00 on hand. We shsll take pleasure in supplying your needs.

Pass books in attractive holiday envelopes issued upon request.

THE

Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.

110 N. Front Street.

de 6-tf.

SUIT AGAINST THE CITY.

Mr. Charles Craig Brings Action for Damages for Accident.

Civil action was started in the Superior Court yesterday by Charles Craig and wife, Sarah E. Craig, against the City of Wilmington for alleged damages for injuries received by Mrs. Craig on account of a bad sidewalk on Castle, between Fifth and Sixth streets, some time ago. The plaintiffs will ask for several thousand dollars damages. Hon. John D. Bellamy represents the plaintiffs.

Stonewall Lodge Elects.

At the regular convention of Stonewall Lodge No. 1, K. of P., held last evening the following officers were eleced for the ensuing term: Chancellor Commander, R. F. Hamme, Jr.; Vice Chancellor, T. E. Cooper; Prelate, T. Y. Morris; Master of Work, J. L. Edge; Keeper of Records and Seal, W. C. Smith; Master of Finance, J. D. Kelly; Master of Exchequer. Claude Murray; Master at Arms, T. E. Davis; Inner Guard, J. M. Bass; Outer Guard, J. M. Holmes.

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¶We have opened and will welcome the boys and girls to our Toy Opening, which will be held in the store adjoining us, formerly occupied by the Delmonico.

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¶Let the Toys awaken memory in your own mind—memory of the days when your parents took you to a toy store to see Santa Claus and his fascinating arrays, all spread out for you in Toyland.

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GoCarts, Wagons, Coaches

¶We are showing the best selected line of undressed dolls ever shown by us.

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¶On account of the department being separate, we will sell for cash only, and no goods will be sent on approval.

¶The Christmas goods are also ready for your inspection in our Department Store. New Bath Robes, New Handkerchiefs, New Gloves, New Umbrellas, New Hosiery, New Furs and a thousand other articles suitable for Christmas gifts. We invite you to inspect our entire stock. We have planned for a big holiday trade.

The C. W. POLVOGT COMPANY

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Mrs. H. H. Ford left yesterday afternoon for Valdosta, Ga., where she will visit relatives until after the holidays.

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A meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., will be held in the parlors of the Association this afternoon at 4 o'clock. A full attendance of members is urged.

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Mrs. C. W. Hewitt and her attractive and accomplished daughter, Miss Juanita Hewitt, of Darlington, S. C., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brand at their home, No. 313 Chestnut street.

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Many friends in this city will be interested to learn of the approaching marriage of Miss Alice Crapster and Dr. Page McIntosh, which will take place in Baltimore, Md., tomorrow evening. Miss Crapster spent the Winter here several years ago and was the recipient of much social attention.

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The ladies of Brooklyn Baptist church will hold their annual bazaar in the vacant store, No. 605 North Fourth street, this evening. All kinds of fancy work will be offered for sale. Innocent amusement will be enjoyed and oysters in all styles and other refreshments will be served. Everybody is invited.

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The Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters will hold an all-day novelty sale of Christmas goods in the Woolvin building next to the Tidewater Power Company's offices, today. A large number of dainty and useful articles will be placed on sale and the public is invited to attend. The sale will begin at 10 o'clock.

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The sale of a beautiful variety of fancy work, appropriate for Christmas gifts and candies, will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Dr. D. W. Bulluck, No. 209 South Fourth street, under the auspices of the Philathea Class and Young Peoples' Missionary Society, of Grace M. E. Church. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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Mr. L. T. Landen, a well known and popular young man of this city, where he holds a position with the Atlantic Coast Line in its general offices, left yesterday afternoon for Buie's Creek, Harnett county, where this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, he will be united in marriage with Miss Mary P. Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart of that place. Mr. Landen and bride will leave immediately for a bride' tour of two weeks to points of interest in Louisiana and Mississippi. Upon their return they will be at home to their friends at The Carolina.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Messrs. W. B. Cooper, Wm. E. Springer and other prominent Methodist laymen who attended the sessions of the North Carolina Conference just ended at Elizabeth City, returned to their homes yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Springer, who have been spending some weeks at Clifton Springs, N. Y., and with relatives and friends in Philadelphia, returned to the city yesterday and were cordially received by their many friends in Wilmington.

NEGRO COLLIDED WITH CAR.

Ran Into It as It Was Being Taken Into Barn—Injured.

Eli Evans, colored, about 30 years of age and apparently a little the worse for a night of abandon in Meadow's Lane, was severely, but it is thought not seriously injured as the result of a collision with a street car at 11:20 o'clock last night on Ninth, between Dock and Market streets. The car was in charge of Motorman J. W. Orrell and Conductor E. O. Allen and was bound to the shed along Ninth street, when the negro came running out of Meadow street or "lane," intersecting, and was struck by the edge of the car. His chin was gashed and he received a bad contusion of the eye, being knocked unconscious for the time. Dr. Akerman was summoned and gave the necessary surgical attention after which the injured man was sent to the hospital. A bottle of beer and a flask of whiskey, partly empty, were taken from his person.

MRS. C. C. BOON DEAD.

Passed Away at Early Hour This Morning at Home of Her Son.

Friends will regret much to learn of the death of Mrs. C. C. Boon, widow of the late Alexander Boon and mother of Mr. L. L. Boon, one of Wilmington's best known and most highly esteemed citizens. Mrs. Boon passed away at the home of her son, 212 North Seventh street, at 12:50 o'clock this morning after an illness of several weeks. She had reached the advanced age of 90 years last Thanksgiving and while her death was not unexpected, it came as a shock to the devoted son, other members of the family and friends. The funeral from the residence of Mr. Boon, her only son, will be conducted at an hour to be later named.

In Serious Condition From Fall.

As the result of a fall a few days ago from the new storage warehouse being erected by the Seaboard Air Line, Joseph Tripp, colored, a laborer, is in the James Walker Memorial Hospital in a rather serious condition, but has a fair chance of recovery. He fell a distance of 45 or 50 feet, it is stated, and was badly lacerated and bruised. He was rendered unconscious by the fall. He was hurried to the hospital, where he is being given attention.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—The British steamer Tyne, Capt. Ellis, cleared yesterday for Bremen with cargo of 9,194 bales of cotton, valued at $690,000; vessel and cargo by Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son.

—The revenue cutter Seminole, Capt. Crisp, cleared yesterday for a cruise in the Southern portion of her district. She will go as far south as Charleston and probably return to port the latter part of the week.

—The men's meeting at the Bijou Sunday afternoon under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. was largely attended. The address of Rev. W. E. Cox, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, was heard with much interest.

—The features of the weekly meeting of the Ministerial Association yesterday morning were an address by Rev. C. M. Morton, pastor of the Christian Church, and a short talk by Rev. Mr. Stirewalt, a returned missionary from Japan.

—Mr. Fred T. Skipper, who has been clerk of the Recorder's court since the establishment of that tribunal, yesterday received his commission for the ensuing term of two years, the appointment being made by Recorder John J. Furlong.

—King Sanders, colored, wanted at Rocky Mount as an escaped convict, was arrested at 8:30 o'clock last night by Officer J. S. Lane at Fourth and Brunswick streets. The negro was given berth at the city prison and will be taken to Rocky Mount this morning by an officer from that town.

—In Sunday's Star in giving the grades of the sophomore class in the High School, Katherine Hammond's grade should have been 98.21 instead of 98.20. The grade as it stands corrected places her first in the sophomore class. With her grade of 99.17, Alice Sawyer has the highest average in the school.

—Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: S. J. Bryan and wife to Henry Preston Merritt and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on east side of Eighth, 132 feet south of Meares street; W. M. Cumming and wife to J. D. Edwards and wife, for $900, lot on south side of Market, 56 feet west of 19th street 50x113 feet in size.

—Constable Savage yesterday afternoon arrested Mr. D. E. Costin, who conducts a store at Third and Wright streets, on two warrants, one charging assault on Mr. G. T. Grotgen, a street car conductor, and the other disorderly conduct on a street car, the trouble between the two having occurred on a street car early yesterday afternoon. The defendant gave bond for his appearance at trial Wednesday before Justice Harriss.

—Mr. J. C. Vereen started a civil action in Justice Harriss' court yesterday morning against Mr. Jos. H. Watters and his bondsmen, Messrs. J. V. and C. S. Grainger, for alleged damages in the sum of $200, resulting from a recent case brought by Mr. Watters against Mr. Vereen in which Mr. Vereen was charged with disposing of or concealing goods in his store for the purpose of defrauding his creditors. The jury found that the element of fraud did not enter the case, but that Mr. Veteen owed Mr. Watters the amount claimed. The case will be heard December 8th.

INTEREST IN CHANGES.

News of Appointments of Methodist Pastors Received Here.

There was the greatest local interest yesterday in the appointments of Methodist pastors for the several Wilmington churches and for presiding elder of the Wilmington district. The appointment of Rev. J. C. Wooten, of the chair of Biblical Literature in Trinity College, to the pastorate of Grace Church, one of the leading stations in the itineracy, gives very general satisfaction. Mr. Wooten supplied the pulpit of Grace while Rev. Mr. Smoot was abroad the past Summer and greatly endeared himself to the people here. Mr. Wooten recently came to North Carolina from the Pacific coast where he was in the ministry. He is a native of North Carolina and is a member of the old and distinguished family of that name in Eastern Carolina.

Rev. G. T. Adams, who comes to Fifth Street Church, comes from Trinity Church at Durham, one of the largest and most influential in the State and will receive a warm welcome to that congregation. Rev. K. D. Holmes, retiring pastor of Fifth Street Church, goes to the Sanford circuit, in the Fayetteville district of which Rev. R. B. John is the presiding elder.

Rev. W. L. Cuninggim, whose work in the Wilmington district the past four years is a monument to his worth and ability, goes as presiding elder of the Raleigh district, one of the most desirable districts in the conference. His friends here will be delighted to know that his lines have been cast in pleasant places.

Rev. E. C. Sell, one of the best men in the conference, is sent to Trinity to succeed Rev. E. R. Welch, who goes to Oklahoma as previously announced. Mr. Sell comes from Nashville, Nash county, and will be most cordially received by his congregation and the people of Wilmington generally.

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A quick lunch prepared in a minute. Take no substitute. Ask for HORLICK'S.

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THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

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to conduct restaurant at 808 Castle street. License to conduct a restaurant at 20 North Second street was granted Merritt & Mitchell.

Alderman Fales called attention of the board to several complaints made to him of confectionery and restaurant places about Seventh and Nun streets and others in that section of the city remaining open all day Sunday and stated that any number of citizens had requested that the board take some action. Members of the board stated that the matter should be called to the attention of the Chief of Police.

After the reading of the report of the health department and a written statement from Dr. Joseph Akerman regarding the smallpox situation, Dr. Akerman made a few remarks in which he stated the position of the Board of Health that the most effective way to stamp out the disease is by universal vaccination. Alderman Ellis, chairman of the sanitary committee, reported that improvements were being made at the pest house and recommended that the appointment by Dr. Akerman of Miss Laura Reid as clerk of the Board of Health be confirmed by the board, which was done. The board adjourned at 9:30 o'clock.

PROPOSED NEW BEACH HOTEL.

Stockholders Are Paying in the First Assessment—Outlook.

Mr. Thomas H. Wright, the energetic secretary and treasurer of the Atlantis Hotel Company, which proposes to erect a $150,000 hotel at Wrightsville Beach, near the Tarrymoore Hotel, stated yesterday that the stockholders were now paying into the treasury 25 per cent of the amount of their subscription and that already between $4,000 and $5,000 had been paid in, this without any solicitation. The officers will get busy during the next few days and collect one-fourth of the subscription from all the stockholders. A letter received yesterday from Mr. C. E. Hooper, of Charlotte, who is to be manager of the hotel, was to the effect that the Charlotte people are enthusiastic over the proposition and will aid materially in pushing it to a successful conclusion.

COLD WAVE IS COMING.

Repetition of the Snap of a Few Days Ago—Temperature Drops.

Might as well replenish the wood house and keep out the overcoats and wraps for the cold snap of a few days ago is to be repeated, after two days of moderate weather intervening. At 10:30 o'clock last night Forecaster Felger issued a statement to the effect that the temperature will take a tumble of 25 to 30 degrees by Wednesday morning, bringing the temperature down to about 25 degrees, or around what it was during the cold snap of a few days ago. Even at that hour there was a perceptible drop in the temperature and the weather today, from indications early this morning, will be considerably more chilly than yesterday, following in the wake of the southeast storm which passed over the city last night.

Regained Possession of Dog.

Mr. J. F. Jarman, the well known druggist, yesterday morning started claim and delivery proceedings in Justice Harriss' court against Katie Burnett, colored, for a bird dog, which Mr. Jarman alleges was stolen from him some months ago and which he was informed was in the possession of the negro woman. The papers were served by Constable Savage and the dog seized by him. The hearing took place before Justice Harriss yesterday afternoon and the evidence satisfied the court that the dog was the property of Mr. Jarman, to whom "Doc," alias "Jack", was turned over.

Good morning! Have you used Christmas Seals?

Sweetness

is Nature's signal that a food is good. *You need sugar—lots of it.* But it must be *natural* sweetness. Some syrups are masqueraders—really *tasteless* and *healthless*, with a *sprinkling* of sugar.

ALABAMA SYRUP

is an ideal food with an ideal taste—made of Georgia ribbon sugar cane. Better than beefsteak. Any good grocer.

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Theatrical

The Academy last night offered the beginning of a brief season of musical comedy at small prices. The Runaways, a well known organization being the attraction. The engagement is for three nights and special matinee tomorrow afternoon and the inaugura tin last night was a delightful success artistically and a big success financially, as, in spite of the threatening and blustering weather, a large audience was present. For its opening bill the company presented "A Japanese Honeymoon," and it proved to be quite the most enjoyable attraction yet seen at the Academy for the money asked, 50 cents being the very top price. "A Japanese Honeymoon is a tuneful, merry creation and one that is decidedly picturesque in flavor. Its scenes are laid in the Orient and, of course, there is good opportunity for fantastic and pretty costuming and beautiful light effects. The company scored with both. The piece is filled with good, bright comedy and novel and pretty musical features and each was presented in fine style. The company while not a whopping one is decidedly clever and after all quality is rather to be desired than quantity. The individual singing was especially good and the work of the comedians was of the snappy kind that always pleases.

Tonight the company is to present another jolly musical comedy, "The Wizard from the East," and is a piece that sparkles with musical gems and that is especially strong for comedy. It will be given a fine presentation and will, no doubt, attract a large audience. Popular prices, 10, 20, 30 and 50 cents, are prevailing and seats for tonight are now on sale at Plummer's.

Seats for Sousa.

The advance sale of seats for the big Sousa concert, which is attracting much attention in Wilmington and which, unless signs fail, will be heard by a "standing room only audience," will go on sale at Plummer's Thursday morning. While the top price will be $1.50, as Sousa never plays anywhere below the standard price, there will be many good seats for $1.

"The March King" and his big band will appear at the Academy Friday night, and this city will be one of the very few, less than ten, that will be played in the South this season. In fact, with the exception of playing in Columbia, S. C. Sousa will not be heard in the South outside the Schloss theatres in North Carolina. He is now preparing to go on the biggest world's tour the band has ever taken, and will sail from New York on this tour the latter part of this month.

Joyland.

The feature film at th's popular little "Pastime Parlor" will be the "Branded Man." This is one of those Western dramas that will make one laugh one minute and cry the next. The next feature will be the "Missing Heir," which, of course, is always full of interest and will please both old and young. Programme changes daily.

At the Bijou Today.

"The Dishonest Steward" and "City of a Hundred Mosques Brousa, Asia Minor," are the titles of the pictures that will be shown today at the Bijou theatre. These are very fine pictures and will doubtless attract large audiences today.

The Crystal Palace.

The Crystal Palace has a splendid new bill this week and the popular amusement resort is claiming a most liberal portion of the pleasure seekers. In addition to the clever vaudeville acts two reels of motion pictures are shown at each performance.

'RAH FOR NEW HANOVER

County Shows Greater Percentage of Gain Than City—Official.

Census returns for the entire State of North Carolina were made public by counties in Washington yesterday, the population of New Hanover ebing 32,037 against 25,785 in 1900, a gain of a little over 24 per cent., the gain for the city being only 22 per cent. This fact illustrates the very great development that has taken place in the county in the last ten years, the rural districts not only keeping pace with the city but even eclipsing the record in Wilmington by something over 2 per cent. This development is very gratifying and indicates that Wilmington is not being built up at the expense of its back country, but rather that a "back country" is being developed that is fully sustaining the progress made by the city. The increase of souls in the county is 6,252. When it is considered that the county embraces only 80 square miles, this increase is really very good indeed.

Saved From Awful Death.

How an appalling calamity in his family was prevented is told by A. D. McDonald, of Fayetteville, N. C., R. F. D. No. 8. "My sister had consumption," he writes, "she was very thin and pale, had no appetite and seemed to grow weaker every day, as all remedies failed, till Dr. King's New Discovery was tried, and so completely cured her, that she has not been troubled with a cough since. It's the best medicine I ever saw or heard of." For coughs, colds, la grippe, asthma, croup, hemorrhages, all bronchial troubles, it has no equal, 50c, $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Robt. R. Bellamy.

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MRS. MARTHA J. KENAN DEAD.

Passed Away Yesterday Morning After An Illness of Some Time.

Many friends learned with deep regret of the death of Mrs. Martha Jane Kenan, wife of the late W. W. Kenan, who passed away at 6:30 o'clock yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. W. Hewlett, No. 916 Princess street, after an illness of some time. She was in the 67th year of her age and spent practically all of her life in this city, where she was well known and highly esteemed by her friends and acquaintances.

Surviving are one son and three daughters, these being Mr. W. R. Kenan, of Montgomery, Ala.; Mrs. J. J. Kelly, of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. C. W. Hewlett and Miss Callie Kenan, of Wilmington, who have the sympathy of a great many friends in their bereavement.

The funeral services will be held from Masonboro church at 3 o'clock this afternoon, conducted by Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor of the First Baptist Church, of which Mrs. Kenan was a consistent member for many years. The interment will be in the family burying ground there.

NEW COURT OF COMMERCE.

Prouty and Lane Reported to Have Been Chosen.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Information from an excellent, if not absolutely authoritative, source indicates that President Taft has determined upon two members of the new Court of Commerce. They are Judge Charles A. Prouty, of Vermont, and Franklin K Lane, of California, both of whom are now members of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

It is understood to be the desire of the President to secure men for the new court who are not only in touch with the freight rate situation throughout the country, but who are familiar with the proceedings of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Judge Prouty has served as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission for nearly 20 years and is widely known and respected by both shippers and carriers throughout the country. Mr. Lane is now serving his second term as commissioner, having been appointed as a Democrat by President Roosevelt.

VOTE AGAINST TRIAL.

Charges Against Dr. Andrews In Texas Not Sustained.

Galveston, Texas, Dec. 5.—By a rising vote the Texas conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, adopted a report presented by a committee appointed to investigate rumors touching the character of Dr. W. J. Andrews, of that conference, declaring that they were unable to find any ground for a trial.

The charges were based on a statement made by Rev. Dr. W. F. Murray, of St. Louis.

Lynchburg, Va., Dec. 5.—It developed today that the shot fired Sunday through the headquarters of the anti-saloon league was an accidental discharge of a revolver. As soon as the man who held the revolver heard late today of the bullet going into the next building, he cleared it up with an explanation.

Nursing Mothers and Malaria.

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FIRE IN COTTON MILL.

Blaze in Dust Room of National Factory at Lumberton, N. C.

Lumberton, N. C., Dec. 6 (1:30 a. m.)—Fire which was discovered in the dust room of the National Cotton Mills, two miles west of town, at 12 o'clock has done considerable damage. The fire was at one time thought to have been extinguished but at 12:40 o'clock a second alarm was given, the fire having again broken out. At 1 o'clock this morning the third alarm was given and at 1:10 the fourth was sounded. At 1:30, however, the fire is thought to be under control though it is still burning between the floors. The flames did not reach a part of the building occupied by the machinery. The wind is blowing a gale here, but the fire is on the interior and it is thought certain the mill can be saved.

KNOXVILLE MAN CONVICTED.

aged 19, charged with killing Gilbert

Rival—Evidence.

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 5.—Carl Still, aged 19 charged with killing Gilbert May, aged 23, was today convicted of murder in the first degree. Both are of prominent families. Gilbert May, accompanying Miss Mamie Miles, was en route to a neighborhood bible class meeting on the night of May 3rd, last, and was shot in the back. Still was convicted on circumstantial evidence. At the hospital before May died, Miss Miles consented to marry him if he should recover, and testified that she would have kept her promise, though she declared she did not love May. She visited Still in the jail, but denied in court that she had much affection for him.

EXPECT CLASH IN MEXICO.

Federal Troops Moving On City Held By Rebels.

Mexico City, Mex., Dec. 5.—A special dispatch to the Mexican Herald from Chihuahua says that 800 Federal soldiers were today within 15 miles of the town of San Andres, where it is rumored there are 600 armed revolutionists. The dispatch added that it was believed that a battle between the soldiers and insurrectos would occur.

Mexico City, Mex., Dec. 5.—A special dispatch from Chihuahua to the El Imparcial at a late hour tonight stated that Jose Maria Sanchez had resigned as Governor of that State, and that Alberto Terrazas had been elected by the State Legislature to succeed him.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 5.—When the hatches of the Austrian steamer Giulia were raised today it was found possibble to begin the removal of the burned cotton from her cargo which has been on fire for two weeks, but later it was discovered that the fire was still burning between decks. The Giulia is bound from New Orleans to Trieste.

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Ar. Wilson	A. C. L.	11	00pm
Lv. Goldsboro	N. S. RR.	10	15pm
Lv. Wilson	N. S. RR.	11	30pm
r Norfolk	N. S. RR.	7	30am

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Lv. Norfolk	N. S. RR.	9	00pm
Ar. Wilson	N. S. RR.	5	05am
Ar Goldsboro	N. S. RR.	6	30am
Lv. Wilson	A. C. L.	5	40am
Lv. Goldsboro	A. C. L.	6	40am
Ar. Wilmington	A. C. L.	9	45am

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December 7th to 9th, 1910.

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FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage made by W. J. Reaves and wife to the Wilmington Homestead & Loan Association, registered in Book 55, page 147, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, on Tuesday the 3rd day of January, 1911, at twelve o'clock, M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Wilmington, N. C., the following described lots situate in said City, bounded as follows:

First: A lot beginning in Western line of Second street, 97 feet south of Southern line of Church street; runs thence Westwardly parallel with Church Street 165 feet; thence Southwardly parallel with Second Street 33 feet; thence Eastwardly parallel with Church Street 165 feet to Second street; thence with the Western line of Second Street Northwardly 33 feet to the beginning.

Second: A lot beginning in the Western line of Second Street 160 feet South of the Southern line of Church Street; runs thence Westwardly parallel with Church Street 110 feet; thence Southwardly parallel with Second Street 29 feet; thence Eastwardly parallel with Church Street 110 feet to Western line of Second Street; thence Northwardly with said line 29 feet to the beginning.

Third: A lot beginning in the Western line of Second Street 231 feet South of Southern line of Church Street; runs thence Southwardly with said line of Second Street 33 feet; thence Westwardly parallel with Church Street 165 feet; thence Northwardly parallel with Second Street 33 feet; thence Eastwardly 165 feet to the beginning.

WILMINGTON HOMESTEAD & LOAN ASSOCIATION.
By John D. Bellamy & Son.
Attorneys.

de 3-30 d.

ADVERTISEMENT.

Sealed proposals for paving Front Street from Dawson Street to Wright Street, Wright Street from Third Street to Sixth Street, and Sixth Street from Wright street to Dawson street, for the City of Wilmington, N. C., will be received by the Board of Aldermen at the Mayor's office up to noon, December 22nd, 1910, and at that time they will be opened and publicly read, addressed to Capt. Walter G. MacRae, Mayor, and endorsed "Proposals for Paving Streets."

The work for which proposals are invited consists approximately of 4,263 square yards of macadam pavement.

Each proposal must be accompanied with a certified check of five per cent. (5) of the contract price and made payable to the Board of Aldermen of Wilmington, N. C.

Specifications and blank forms of proposals can be obtained by application to the City Engineer, and profile may be seen at his office.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

WALTER G. MacRAE.
Mayor.

C. R. HUMPHREYS,
City Engineer.

no. 17-th-su-tu-to-de 22.

FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of mortgage made by C. L. Dickinson and wife to Samuel Blossom and registered on the records of New Hanover County in Book 58, page 446, the undersigned will expose for sale, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, on Monday the 19th day of December, 1910, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door of the county of New Hanover, in the City of Wilmington, N. C., the following described lot of land in said City, to-wit: A lot beginning in Southern line of Ann Street 100 feet East of Eastern line of Fifth Street; runs thence East with Southern line of Ann street 35 1-4 feet; thence South parallel with Fifth Street 66 feet; thence West parallel with Ann street 35 1-4 feet; thence North parallel with Fifth Street 66 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 1, Block 117.

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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

COTTON MARKET WAS STEADY

Southern Buying a Feature Yesterday—Market Was Not Very Active—Rumor of Ginners' Crop Report.

New York, Dec. 5.—The cotton market was not active today, but prices ruled generally steady on covering by local shorts, a little Southern buying, and some support from leading bulls, with the close quiet, but steady at a net advance of 6 to 10 points.

The opening was steady at an advance of 1 to 6 points, and while the cables were no better than due, prices gradually worked higher, with an advance of commission house business suggesting that the scattering long interest had been pretty well evened on the decline of last week. Rumors a bullish National Ginners' report probably inspired part of the demand and while buying did not become general, the market showed a generally upward tendency until prices had reached a net gain of about 9 to 15 points. Later there was enough realizing by scalping longs to cause a moderate reaction. It was rumored that the report of the National Ginners' Association showed 10,012,000 bales ginned to December 1st, but pointed to a growth for the season of only 11,100,000 to 11,200,000 bales. This would suggest a large percentage of the crops ginned to December 1st than ever before on record, but the bulls evidently looked fr some such result, which would only prove in line with numerous private advices received during the past three or four days.

Receipts at the ports today 53 300 bales against 71,221 last week and 30.375 last year. For the week 375,000 bales against 429,686 last week and 191,565 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 6,621 bales against 5,926 last year, and at Houston 23,958 bales against 18,909 last year.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands 15.05; middling gulf 15.30; sales 9,800 bales.

Futures opened steady and closed quiet and steady.

Month	Open	High	Low	Close
December	14.70	14.77	14.69	14.74
January	14.71	14.85	14.70	14.79
Febbruary	14.82	14.93	14.93	14.92
March	14.99	15.09	14.97	15.04
April				15.10
May	15.15	15.25	15.13	15.20
June	15.15			15.18
July	15.12	15.20	15.11	15.17
August	14.72	14.75	14.70	14.77
October	13.25	13.45	13.44	13.40

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 14 7-8; net receipts 16,630; gross receipts 16,630; sales 540; stock 169,174; continent 23,829; coastwise 1,394.

New Orleans—Firm, 14 3-4; net receipts 6,621; gross receipts 6,622; sales 3,065; stock 187,444; continent 218.

Mobile—Firm, 14 11-16; net receipts 3,870; gross receipts 3,870; sales 1,550; stock 57,785; Great Britain 17,077; coastwise 117.

Savannah—Steady, 14 1-2; net receipts 11,310; gross receipts 11,310; sales 4,454; stock 175,928; continent 14,051; coastwise 1,144.

Charleston—Steady, 14 1-2; net receipts 2,333; gross receipts 2,333; stock 51,053; continent 1,191.

Wilmington—Quiet, 14 3-8; net receipts 3,235; gross receipts 3,235; stock 22,842.

Norfolk—Firm, 14 5-8; net receipts 6,308; gross receipts 6,508; sales 844; stock 31,753; coastwise 9,956.

Baltimore—Nominal, 14 7-8; stock 16,012.

New York—Quiet, 15.05; net receipts 5; gross receipts 20,689; sales 9,800; stock 22,219; Great Britain 170.

Boston—Quiet, 15.05; net receipts 811; gross receipts 3,081; stock 8,956.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 15.30; gross receipts 1,150; stock 4,575.

Jacksonville—Net receipts 959; gross receipts 959; coastwise 950.

Minor Ports—stock 20,361.

Port Townsend—Net receipts 1,218; gross receipts 1,218; Japan 1,218.

Total today, at all ports, net 53,300; Great Britain 17,247; Continent 28,118; Japan 1,218; Stock 968,102.

Consolidated, at all ports, net 123,937; Great Britain 88,869; Continent 63,282; Japan 1,218.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, net 4,647,255; Great Britain 1,626,410; France 384,780; Continent 1,255,067; Japan 54,107; Mexico 500.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Quiet, 14 7-8; net receipts 23,958; gross receipts 23,958; shipments 23,271; sales 773; stock 130,848.

Augusta—Steady, 14 3-4; net receipts 1,932; gross receipts 2,283; shipments 2,129; sales 1,098; stock 91,780.

Memphis—Steady, 15 1-8; net receipts 10,214; gross receipts 14,653; shipments 7,340; stock 190,296.

St. Louis—Steady, 15 1-8; net receipts 829; gross receipts 4,217; shipments 4,468; stock 18,754.

Cincinnati—Steady; net receipts 1,961; gross receipts 1,961; shipments 2,810; stock 10,417.

Little Rock—Steady, 14 5-8; net receipts 4,223; gross receipts 4,223; shipments 2,125; stock 44,626.

Louisville—Firm, 15 1-8.

Total today—Net receipts 45,117; gross receipts 51,295; shipments 42,143; sales 3,671; stock 486,721.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot Good Business Done, Prices Six Points Higher.

Liverpool, Dec. 5.—Spot cotton good business done, prices 6 points higher. American middling fair 8.46; good middling 8.14; middling 8.02; low middling 7.82; good ordinary 7.56; ordinary 7.31. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 9,600 American. Receipts none.

Futures opened firm and steady. December 7.83; December and January 7.82; January and February 7.83; February and March 7.84 1-2; March and April 7.86; April and May 7.86 1-2; May and June 7.87 1-2; June and July 7.86; July and August 7.83 1-2; August and September 7.61; September and October 7.20; October and November 7.01.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Dec. 5.—The dry goods markets were firm and quiet for the day. Raw silk is higher. Dress goods ruled quiet. Narrow print cloths are in better demand. Brown sheetings were steady and in better request in some quarters.

Banks on Sure Thing Now.

"I'll never be without Dr. King's New Life Pills again," writes A. Schingeck, 647 Elm St., Buffalo, N. Y. "They cured me of chronic constipation when all others failed." Unequalled for biliousness, jaundice, indigestion, headache, chills, malaria and debility. 25c at Robt. R. Bellamy's.

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MARINE

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Str. Carib, Hale, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

Schr. F. & T. Lupton, 797 tons, Longstreet, Philadelphia, C. D. Maffitt.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. A. Munn.

Cleared.

Br. Str. Tyne, Ellis, Bremen, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

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F. & T. Lupton, 797 tons, Longstreet, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Foxton Hall (Br.) 2,734 tons, Kelvert, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Tyne (Br.) 1,721 tons, Ellis, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Annie, 512 tons, Wall, C. D. Maffitt.

Francis V. Sawyer, 324 tons, Dobbin, C. D. Maffitt.

Edwina, 398 tons, Smith, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton for 24 hours.

Wilmington, N. C., Dec. 5.

C. C. Railroad—405 bales cotton.

Atlantic Coast Line—2,830 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits, 36 barrels rosin, 35 barrels tar, 41 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—3,235 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits, 36 barrels rosin, 35 barrels tar, 41 barrels crude turpentine.

Exports—Foreign.

Bremen—Br. str. Tyne, 9,194 bales, valued at $390,000; vessel and cargo by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, 5—Flour steady, moderate jobing demand.

Rye flour—Firm.

Buckwheat flour—Quiet.

Rye—Quiet.

Barley—Steady.

Cornmeal—Steady.

Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red 98 1-8 elevator and 99 1-8 fob afloat, both nominal; futures closed 1-4 to 3-8 net lower. December 98 1-8; May 103 5-8; July 101 14.

Corn—Firm; No. 2 new 53 3-4 fob to arrive. Futures closed at 5-8 to 3-4c higher. December 56 5-8 and May 56 3-4.

Oats—Firm; standard white 39 1-4; futures closed at unchanged to 1-4c net advance. December 38 3-4; May 40 7-8; July 40 1-2.

Pork—Steady.

Beef—Steady.

Lard—Firdm.

Tallow—Steady.

Petroleum—Steady.

Rice—Quiet.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Futures closed steady, net unchanged to eleven points higher. Spoffee firm, Rio No. 7, 13 1-4 to 13 3-8; Santos No. 4, 13 7-8. Mild coffee firm, Cordova 13 3-4 to 15 1-2.

Butter—Steady; creamy specials 30; extras 28 1-2 to 29; third to first 23 to 27 1-2; nell creamery second to special 24 1-2 to 29; State dairy, common to finest 23 to 29; process.

Eggs—Steady; State, Pennsylvan'a nearby henmery white fancy 55; do gathered white 40 to 50; do hennery brown, fancy 45 to 47; do gathered white 40 to 50; do hennery, brown, fancy, 45 to 47; do gathered brown 40 to 43; do fair to good 34 to 39.

Cheese—Steady; State, whole milk, September quality specials 15 3-4 to 17 1-4; do fancy colored 15 1-2; do fancy white 15 1-4 to 15 1-2; do choice 14 3-4 to 15.

Potatoes—Firm; Maine per bag 140 to 160; State per bag 135 to 150; Long Island per barrel, or bag, 150 to 200; Jersey per bag 135 to 175; Southern per barrel 125 to 137; sweet potatoes, Jersey per barrel 150 to 275; Eastern shore per barrel 1.00 to 1.37.

Cabbages—Quiet, Danish seed, per ton 10 to 12; domestic do 7.00 to 8.00; red do 30 to 35.

Peanuts—Firm, fancy handpicked Virginia 4 3-4 to 5; Virginia sheled Nos. 1 and 2, 4 1-4 to 4 1-2.

Freights—Steady; cotton to Liverpoo 15c; grain to Liverpoo 1 5-8 to London 1 3-4d.

Cotton seed oil firm and higher on improved outside demand, light offerings of crude and in sympathy with the advance in hog products. Futures closed 6 to 1 points net higher. December 696 to 699; January 701 to 704; February 705 to 709; March 715 to 716; prime winter yellow 725 to 8.00; prime summer white 720 to 790.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Dec. 5.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 74 cents.

ROSIN—Steady, $5.25 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.50 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, firm at $4.50 per barrel for hard; $6.00 for dip and $6.00 for virgin.

Same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm 52 1-2; rosin nothing doing; tar, $2.00; crude turpentine; firm $2.50, $4.00 and $4.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	55
Rosin	236
Tar	135
Crude Turpentine	41

Receipts, same day last year, 41 casks spirits turpentine; 261 barrels rosin; 67 barrels tar; — barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 14¾ cents for middling.

Same day last year, 14 1-4 cents.

Receipts—3,235 bales, same day last year 1,075 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Dec. 3rd.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, extra prime 70 cents, fancy 75 cents. Spanish from $1.05 to $1.15 cents. North Carolina, No. 1, 90 to 95 cents per bushel. New crop.

CORN—Firm, 70c per bushel.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 22; shoulders 17 to 18 cents and side 17 to 18c.

EGGS—Good demand, 27 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 25 to 40; grown, 45 and 50 cents, dull.

BEESWAX—Firm 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2 to 5c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 45 to 50 cents per bushel.

HIDES—Dr. flint 13c; green 7c per pound.

WOOL—Burr 12 to 15c; free of burr 18 to 20c.

GREESE—60 cents per head.

PORK—9 to 10 cents, net.

SHEEP—No demand.

LAMB—$4.00 to $2.50.

PEAS—white peas, $2.50 to $2.75.

IRISH POTATOES—New crop 80 to 90 cents, dull.

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To many, Winter is a season of trouble. The frost bitten toes and fingers, chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold sores, red and rough skins prove this. But such troubles fly before Bucklen's Arnica Salve. A trial convinces. Greatest healer of burns, boils, piles, cuts, sores, eczema and sprains. Only 25c at Robt. R. Bellamy's.

STOCK MARKET STILL QUIET

Operations Featureless Yesterday—Professional Party Indisposed to Move Either Direction—About Bank Reports.

New York, Dec. 5.—Operations in the stock market today were quiet and featureless. Prices backed and filled with fractional limits for the most part of the day's business was limited to the professional party, which at the moment seems indisposed to make a move in either direction. Such issues as Atchison, New York Central and Baltimore nad Ohio, were subjected to pressure at times, but responded almost immediately to support.

Last week's bank statement, showing a large loan expansion and a cash loss in excess of all estimates, was not well received and probably occounted for the general recessions recorded at the opening. Money is very easy at this centre, however. Complete returns to the Comptroller of the Currency of the condition of the National banks as of November 10th last, show increases in loans and discounts by a majority of the banks in the West, Middle West, Pacific coast and Southern States. Only in this section has there been any marked decrease in loans which have fallen over $67,000,000 with an increase of individual deposits of more than $22,000,000. As the legal requirements of all the National banks of the country are exceeded by almost $74,000,000 no immediate strain in any quarter is apprehended.

Little attention was paid by Wall Street to the re-assembling of Congress and the proposed tariff revision.

American issues were steady in London by the Premier British security was heavy in that market. London was a small purchaser of stocks here, during the day, but transactions for the account were more nominal than usual.

Traffic reports from the West indicate that the leading transportation companies are carrying a fair show of freight. The movement of Chicago shows a falling off, however.

Bonds were steady save for some weakness in Seaboard Air Line adjustments, which made a fractional decline. Total sales today 360,100 shares.

N. Y. BONDS.

U. S. ref 2s reg	100 3-4
U. S. ref 2s con	100 3-4
U. S. 3s registered	101 3-4
U. S. 3s coupon	101 3-4
U. S. 4s registered	113 1-4
U. S. 4s coupon	115 1-2
Allis Chalmers 1st 5s	76 1-2
American Agricultural 5s	101 7-8
American Tel. & Tel. cv 4s	105 1-2
American Tobacco 4s	80 1-8
American Tobacco 6s	105 1-2
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	91 3-4
Atchison gen. 4s	98 1-4
Atchison cv 4s	106 1-4
Atchison cv 5s	108
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	94
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	97 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	92 1-8
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	90
Brooklyn Transit cv 4s	82 1-2
Central of Georgia 5s	107
Central Leather 5s	99
Central R. R. of N. J. gen 5s	121 5-8
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	101 1-4
Chesapeake & Ohio ref 4 1-2s	94 1-4
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	80 1-2
C. B. & Quincy joint 4s	95 1-2
C. B. & Quincy gen 4s	96 3-4
Chi. Mil. & St. Paul gen 4s	94 7-8
Chi., R. I. & Pac. R. R. col 4s	72 5-8
Chi., R. I. & Pac. Ry. rfg 4s	89 7-8
Colorado Industrial 5s	77
Colorado Midland 4s	70 1-2
Colorod & Southern ref & ext 4 1-2s	97
Delaware & Hudson cv 4s	96 1-4
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	94
Denver & Rio Grande ref 5s	90
Distillers 5s	77 3-4
Erie prior lien 4s	84 1-8
Erie gen 4s	74 1-2
Erie cv. 4s series 'A'	71 7-8
Erie cv. 4s series 'B'	68 1-4
General Electric cv 5s	146
Illinois Central 1st ref 4s	97 3-4
Interborough Met 4 1-2s	79 7-8
Inter Merc. Marine 4 1-2s	63 1-2
Japan 4s	88 7-8
Japan 4 1-2s	94 1-2
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	73 1-2
Lake Shore debt 4s (1931)	92 3-4
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	96 1-4
Mo. Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	97 1-2
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen 4 1-2s	84
Missouri Pacific 4s	77
Nat. Rys. of Mexico 4 1-2s	94 1-4
New York Central gen 3 1-2s	88 5-8
New York Central deb 4s	92 1-2
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv 6s	133 5-8
Norfolk & Western 1st con 4s	98 3-4
Norfolk & Western cv 4s	99 5-8
Northern Pacific 4s	99 3-8
Northern Pacific 3s	70 1-4
Oregon Short Line rfwg 4s	92
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915)	95 7-8
Penn. Con. 4s	103 1-4
Reading gen. 4s	98
St. Louis & San Fran. fg 4s	81 1-4
St. Louis & San Fran. gen 5s	80
St. Louis S'western con 4s	74
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	90
Seaboard Air Line 5s	75
Southern Pacific col 4s	92
Southern Pacific cv 4s	96 5-8
Southern Pac. R. R. 1st ref 4s	93 7-8
Southern Railway 5s	107 1-4
Southern Railway gen. 4s	76
Union Pacific 4s	101
Union Pacific cv 4s	103
Union Pacific 1st and ref 4s	96 1-2
U. S. Rubber 6s	102 1-4
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	103 1-2
Virginia Carolina Chemical 5s	100
Wabash 1st 5s	108 7-8
Wabash 1st and ext 4s	63
Western Maryland 4s	86
Westinghouse Electric cv 5s	91
Wisconsin Central 4s	92 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Allis Chalmers pfd	28
Amalgamated Copper	64 3-8
American Agricultural	42 1-2
American Beet Sugar	36 5-8
American Can	9
American Car & Foundry	50
American Cotton Oil	58 3-4
American Hide & Leather pfd	21
American Ice Securities	17 1-8
American Linseed	11 5-8
Aemrican Locomotive	36
American Smelting & Ref	74 1-2
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd	103 5-8
Amr. Steel Foundries	42
American Sugar Refining	114
American Tel. & Tel.	139 3-4
American Tobacco pfd	93 1-2
Aemrican Woolen	32
Anaconda Mining Co	39 1-2
Atchison	99 3-4
Atchison pfd	101 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line	114 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	105 5-8
Bethlehem Steel	30 1-8
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	74 7-8
Canadian Pacific	192 3-4
Central Leather	31 3-4
Central Leather pfd	104 7-8
Central of New Jersey	280
Chesapeake & Ohio	80 3-8
Chicago & Alton	40
Chicago Great Western	21 1-2
Chicago Great Western pfd	44 1-2
Chicago & North Western	143
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	120 1-2
C., C. C. & St. Louis	95
Colorado Fuel & Iron	30 3-4
Colorado & Southern	57 3-4
Consolidated Gas	132
Corn Products	15
Delaware & Hudson	162
Denver & Rio Grande	28 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	69 1-2
Distillers' Securities	31 1-2
Erie	27 1-8
Erie 1st pfd	44
Erie 2nd pfd	33 1-2
General Electric	151
Great Northern, pfd	121 1-4
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	55 1-2
Illinois Central	139
Interborough Met.	19 5-8
Interborough Met. pfd	53 3-4
Inter Harvester	108 7-8
Inter Marine pfd	15 1-2
International Paper	13
International Pump	41
Iowa Central	17 3-4
Kansas City Southern	30
Kansas City Southern pfd	63 1-2
Laclede Gas	104 1-8
Louisville & Nashville	140
Minneapolis & St. Louis	27
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	130
Missouri Kansas & Texas	31 1-4
Mo, Kansas & Texas pfd	66
Missouri Pacific	46 1-2
National Biscuit	111 1-2
National Lead	52
Nat. Rys. of Mexico 2nd pfd	35 3-4
New York Central	110 1-4
N. Y. Ontario & Western	40 1-4
Norfolk & Western	97
North American	91 1-2
Northern Pacific	113 1-4
Pacific Mail	31 5-8
Pennsylvania	127 7-8
People's Gas	104 3-8
Pittsburg C. C. & St. Louis	95
Pittsburg Coal	17 3-4
Pressed Steel Car	30
Pullman Palace Car	160
Railway Steel Spring	30
Reading	145 3-4
Republic Steel	31
Republic Steel pfd	94 1-8
Rock Island Co.	30 3-8
Rock Island Co. pfd.	61 1-2
St. Louis & San Fran. 2nd pfd	38
St. Louis Southwestern	23 1-2
St. Louis Southwestern pfd	57 1-2
Sloss Sheffield Steel & Iron	49 1-2
Southern Pacific	113
Southern Railway	24 1-2
Southern Railway pfd	57 5-8
Tennessee Copper	34 7-8
Texas & Pacific	25 1-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West	21 3-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West pfd	54
Union Pacific	169 3-4
Union Pacific pfd	91 3-4
United States Realty	68
United States Rubber	32
United States Steel	73 3-4
United States Steel pfd	125 3-4
Utah Copper	46 1-4
Virginia Carolina Chemical	60 3-4
Wabash	15 7-8
Wabash pfd	33 1-2
Western Maryland	44 1-2
Westinghouse Electric	96
Western Union	70 1-8
Wheeling & Lake Erie	5

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Snow and rain throughout the section of the southwest where moisture has been lacking eased off the price of wheat today. The market closed 1-4 to 3-8c lower to a shade up. Latest figures for corn were unchanged to 2 1-2c higher and for oats 1-8 to 1-4 to 1-4c off. In provisions the outcome was a rise of 17 1-2 to 50c.

Wheat—No. 2, 23 3-4 to 24 1-2; No. 3 red 91 1-4 to 94; No. 2 hard 94 1-4 to 96 1-2; No. 3 hard 91 1-4 to 94 1-2; No. 1 northern 1.07 to 1.08; No. 2 northern 1.05 to 1.07; No. 3 northern 1.02 to 1.05; No. 2 spring 98 to 1.01; No. 3 spring 94 to 1.03; velvet chaff 91 1-2 to 1.01; drum 84 to 93.

Corn—No. 2, 49 1-2 to 50; No. 2 white 51 to 51 1-2; No. 2 yellow 52 to 53; No. 3, 49 1-2 to 50; No. 3 new 47 to 47 1-2; No. 3 white 50 1-2 to 51; No. 3 white new 47 to 47 1-2; No. 3 yellow 51 1-2 to 52; No. 3 yellow new 47 1-2 to 48; No. 4, 48 1-2 to 49; No. 4 new 45 to 45 1-2; No. 4 white 48 1-2 to 49; No. 4 white new 45 to 45 1-2; No. 4 yellow 50 to 51 1-2; No. 4 yellow new 46 to 47.

Oats—No. 2, 32 1-2; No. 2 white 34 to 34 3-4; No. 3 white 33 1-4 to 33 3-4; No. 4 white 32 1-2 to 33 1-2; standard 33 1-2 to 34 1-4.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat.				
Dec.	91½	92	91⅝	91⅝
May	97½	97½	96⅝	97¼
July	94⅝	94⅝	94	94⅝
Corn				
Dec.	46⅞	47⅝	46¾	47
May	48⅞	49⅝	48⅝	48¾
July	49⅞	50¼	49⅝	49⅞
Oats.				
Dec.	32½	32⅝	32	32¼
May	35¾	35⅝	34⅝	35
July	34⅝	35⅛	34⅝	34⅝
Mess Pork, per barrel.				
Jan.	17 80	18 37½	17 75	18 25
May	16 90	17 30	16 77½	17 25
Lard, per 100 pounds.				
Jan.	9 92½	10 05	9 90	10 95
May	9 77½	9 92½	9 97½	9 90
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds.				
Jan.	9 50	9 77½	9 45	9 77½
May	9 25	9 47½	9 20	9 45

COTTON MARKET YESTERDAY.

Liverpool Responded to Advance of Saturday—A Crop Estimate.

(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, Dec. 5.—Liverpool fully responded to our advance of Saturday and the feeling is so in favor of the market that a further advance was established in fact of the heavy move ment of the crop.

A rumor was current that the National Ginners' would estimate the crop at 11,100,000 bales. The market is receiving small crop estimates each day, which sustain and advance prices in face of a movement which indicates about 900,000 bales more in sight on anJuary 1st, than last season.

Large buying orders followed the estimate of the National Ginners' crop report, which is thought to foreshadow a bullish government report, on Thursday and Friday. Everyone seems to be long in anticipation of an advance to follow the report. Liverpool should be three points higher tomorrow.

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NAVAL STORES.

New York, Dec. 5.—Turpentine steady.

Savannah, Dec. 5.—Turpentine firm 74 3-4 to 75; sales 562; receipts 384; shipments 296; stock 16,615. Rosin firm; sales 1,954; receipts 2,193; shipments 850; stock 74,956. Quote: B, 5.67 1-2; D, 5.70; E, 5.72 1-2; F, 5.75; G, 5.77 1-2; H, 5.80; I, 6.25; K, 6.65; M, 6.95; N, 7.10; WG, 7.20; WW, 7.20.

Charleston, Dec. 5.—Turpentine firm, 75; Rosin firm. Quote: ABC, 5.60 to 5.70; D, 5.62 1-2 to 5.70; F, 5.67 1-2 to 5.70; G, 5.67 1-2 to 5.70; H, 5.72 1-2 to 5.75; I, 6.20; K, 6.60; M, 6.90; N, 7.00; WG, 7.10; WW 7.20.

New Orleans—Receipts 57 barrels rosin; turpentine none. Exports 7,400 barrels rosin, firm, Leith, Scotland.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Dec. 5.—Money on call easy 2 1-2 to 2 3-4 per cent; ruling rate 2 1-2, closing bid 2 1-2, offered at 2 5-8 per cent. Time loans strong and more active, sixty days and ninety days 4 to 4 1-4 per cent. Six months 4 to 4 1-4.

Prime mercantile paper 5 to 5 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange heavy with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8205 to 4.8275 for sixty day bills and at 4.86 for demand. Commercial bills 4.82 to 4.82 1-2. Bar silver 54 7-8. Mexican dollars 46.

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PEANUTS.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co)

Spanish—Market firm at $1.10 per bushel for New Spanish. No. 1 Shelled Spanish 7 1-2 to 5 3-4 cents per pound; No. 2 Shelled Spanish 4 3-4 to 5 cents.

Virginias—Market quiet at 3 1-4 to 3 3-4 cents for fancy hand picks; 2 1-2 to 3 cents for machine picks; 2 to 2 1-2 cents for shelling stock.

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By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage made by William A. Jordan and wife, Mary, to the Wilmington Homestead & Loan Association, registered in Book 52, page 354, et seq., the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, on Thursday, the 22nd of December, 1910, at the Court House door of New Hanover county, in the City of Wilmington, N. C., at twelve o'clock, M., the following property in said City, to-wit: A lot beginning in the Western line of Twelfth Street, 66 feet North of Northern line of Orange street; runs Northwardly along said line of Twelfth Street 33 feet; thence West parallel with Orange Street 150 feet; thence South and along an alley 33 feet; thence Eastwardly in a straight line 150 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 6, Block 149.

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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Dec. 6, 1910.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Monday, Dec. 5th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 49 degrees; 8 P. M. 58 degrees; maximum 61 degrees; minimum 41 degrees; mean 51 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 0; for the month, .00 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Monday 2.6 feet.

Weather Forecast:

For North Carolina—Snow in west, snow or rain in east portion Tuesday, colder; much colder at night with a cold wave; Wednesday fair, colder in east portion; brisk to high shifting winds becoming northwest.

Southwest Storm Warning.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—Hoist southeast storm warning 10:30 A. M. Storm over the lower Mississippi Valley moving northeast will cause increasing southeast and south winds tonight shifting to high northwest Tuesday. Storm warnings displayed on the Atlantic coast from Jacksonville to Boston. MOORE.

Port Calendar—December 6.

Sun Rises.....7:04 A. M.
Sun Sets.....5:03 P. M.
Day's Length.....9 hrs. 59 min.
High water at Southport 10:54 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 1:54 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Academy—The Runaways.
Hewlett & Price—Our Shoes.
American National Bank—For the Masses.
Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.—Gold Coins.
Wm. E. Worth and Geo. R. French—Executor's Notice.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Two Canvassers.
Palace Market Co.—Fancy Beef.
D. M. Davis—Pure Food Market.
A. M. Smith—Jersey Cow for Sale.
Wanted—Position as Stenographer.
Wanted—Second-Hand Barber Chair.
Dr. A. H. Harriss—Lost, Strayed or Stolen.
A. W. Pate Co.—Mulberry Plantation.

HUNTING BOY FINANCIER.

Worked a Shrewd Scheme at New York Horse Show.

New York, Dec. 5.—Through the complaints of angry creditors here, it became known today that on the Saturday before the National Horse Show opened, Robert E. Davis, the Boston boy financier, who is being sought on a charge of larceny, entered a coach and four he did own for the classic arrow head cup.

With J. H. Coulter, of Boston, on the box and Morris Howlett, one of the best known whips of the country beside him, he took second place in competition against Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt, and Paul Sorg. Not content with that he protested the winning Sorg entry, and the whole matter went before the judges, who finally ruled that the protest of the Ayrshire farm entry—the name under which Davie booked in the official catalogue—was unfounded and confirmed Paul Sorg in first place. The coach and four are the property of Coulter, who innocently agreed to drive for Davie for a snug consideration and all expenses. Neither has been paid and the New York police today expressed the belief Davie has gone to Mexico.

When the Boston police first began their secret search for Davie, they notified the New York police that he might turn up at the horse show. An officer was sent to Madison Square Garden, who searched the catalogue, made inquiries and came away no wiser than before. All the time Davie was really in the catalogue under the pzudonym of "The Ayreshire Farms."

The details, all subsequently confirmed, came out today through counsel for George Watson, another well known horse dealer, exhibitor and rider. Davie appeared at his stables, Watson's counsel said today, early in November and sought to buy a handsome pair for $4,500. Davie tendered a check on a Tennessee bank, but Watson refused to make delivery until he heard from the check. It came back marked, no funds, and there was no sale. Later Davie appeared again in a six cylinder $3,500 touring car, which, on affidavit that he owned it outright, Watson accepted in exchange for "Ayreshire Queen," a valuable mare. The mare was entered in the horse show but took no prizes. On the appearance of the Boston dealers, who sold the car to Davie, Watson was chagrined to learn that it had been paid for in part only, and still belonged to the dealers who held a mortgage on it to secure the unpaid balance. The machine has been restored to the owners and Watson got his mare back.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 5.—Beside the criminal charge of larceny of $10,000 brought against Robert E. Davie, the missing young Boston broker, civil suits and a request for a receiver for Davie were instituted in the Superior Court today by other alleged victims. These complaints have consolidated their suits to obtain a speedy hearing.

Wednesday is the day set for filing answers. Today's action in court showed that Baker, Ayling and Company, bond brokers, have a claim for $10,000 against Davie. This in addition to the claim by Capt. William H. Jackson, of this city for stock on which Davie is said to have borrowed $80,000. Others are reporting alleged losses to the police.

TO CHOOSE NEW SENATOR.

Louisiana General Assembly to Begin Balloting Tomorrow.

Baton Rouge, Dec. 5.—Members of the Louisiana General Assembly reassembled here today to continue their session following adjournment on Friday, pending addresses tonight by candidates for United States Senator.

Claims that the candidates favored by Gov. Sanders, Judge B. R. Thornton, of Alexandria, would be elected, were sanguinely set forth. At the same time predictions for the election of Congressman Broussard, regarded as the leading "insurgent" candidate, were confidently expressed. The balloting will begin tomorrow.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Governor-elect Eugene N. Foss, of Massachusetts, today sent his resignation as a Representative from Massachusetts to Governor Draper, to take effect January 4th, and at the same time notified Speaker Cannon of his resignation. Both letters were brief and perfunctory.

CONGRESS OPENS REGULAR SESSION

(Continued from Page One)

J. Mitchell, of Massachusetts, to succeed the late Charles Q. Tirrell, R. M. Lively, of Texas, to succeed Gordon Russell, who resigned to become a Federal judge; and Z. D. Massey, of Tennessee, to succeed the late W. P. Brownlow.

World-wide arbitration to settle the differences between nations was sought by Rev. Henry D. Coulden, in his opening prayer in the House.

The chaplain expressed the hope that disarmament of the world s navies and armies might be brought about in the near future.

Of the 391 members of the House 348 answered to their names at the roll call.

Fewer bills and resolutions were introduced in the House today than is usual on the opening day of Congress. There were 36 public bills and resolutions.

Among the measures introduced were: Mr. Loud, of Michigan, appropriating $135,000 for completing and furnishing the Crypt of the Annapolis Naval Academy chancel as a permanent resting place for John Paul Jones. By Mr. Bartholdt, of Missouri, appropriating $2,500 as the United States share of the maintenance of the Interparliamentary Union Bureau for the promoting of international arbitration at Brussels; by Mr. Randell, of Texas, to change the date of opening of Congress to March 4; by Mr. Henry, of Texas, to make October 12th annually a "Columbus Day," public holiday; and Mr. Sheppard, of Texas, requiring heads of departments to submit their reports more promptly for the information of Congress.

LOWER COURT REVERSED.

In Case of Augustus Heinze—Misapplication of Funds.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Holding that the Circuit Court of the United States for the Southern District of New York had erred, the Supreme Court of the United States today reversed the lower court and held sufficient various counts of indictments charging F. Augustus Heinze with the misapplication of funds of the Mercantile National Bank, of New York City, of which he was president. Further proceedings on these counts must now be taken in the lower court.

One of the points on which the lower court held the indictments insufficient was that they did not show a conversion by the recipient of the proceeds of certain notes discounted.

The constitutional ality of the act of March, 1902, allowing the government an appeal in adverse decisions on preliminary pleas in criminal cases, was upheld by the court, which reiterated the statement that the right of appeal was not essential to due process of law."

TO USE NEW EXPLOSIVE.

Adopted by War Department For Submarine Mines.

Washington, Dec. 5.—A new explosive for submarine mines, which would play havoc with the war vessels of a foreign foe, has been adopted by the War Department and is receiving the careful study of officers of the coast artillery corps. The new explosive will not supplant all the other forms of ammunition for mines now in use, but the department will procure an adequate supply, as its powerful effectiveness has been demonstrated to the satisfaction of the army experts.

For patriotic reasons it is impossible for army officials to divulge the nature of the explosive, as to its composition or its disastrous effects.

In order to observe the manufacture of the explosive, several prominent officers of the coast artillery corps will go to Wilmington, Del., where the explosive is made, December 8th. In the party will be Brigadier General Murray, chief of the artillery corps, Major Davis and Captain Kessler.

PEANUT SUPPLANTS COTTON.

Ravages of the Boll Weevil Accounts for Growing of Goobers.

Ruston, La., Dec. 5.—The peanut production in this section of Louisiana has constituted a large portion of the farm products during the past season.

A considerable portion of the crop has been sent to Mississippi counties as seed for a new crop to supplant cotton production made unprofitable by the ravages by the boll weevil as in this part of Louisiana.

Many cotton seed oil mills have been transformed into manufactories for peanut products, it is reported.

Havana, Dec. 5.—The Detroit baseball team defeated the Almandaros nine today 6 to 3.

THE THIN AND WEAK.

Easy Way for Them to Get Strong and Fat.

To thin and weak J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., has a word to say. Let them use Samose, the wonderful flesh-forming food, that is now so popular, and they will soon be plump and rosy.

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LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

Sixth Annual Convention in Winston This Week—Features.

Winston, N. C., Dec. 5.—The North Carolina Library Association will hold its sixth annual meeting in Winston, December 7th and 8th, as the guest of the Winston Carnegie Library.

The association was formed in May, 1904, to meet a growing demand among the State's library workers for mutual help and to aid the State's educational leaders in their endeavor to call forth and intensify a fine library spirit.

Its purposes are the promotion of library interests, the interchange of experience and opinion, the obtaining of larger results from library labor and expenditure, and the advancement of the profession of librarianship.

At the time of the association's organization, the libraries of the State were operating independently along old lines, each following methods peculiar to itself and more or less antiquated. These varied interests have been called together by the association, plans for improvement have been thoroughly discussed, and the various libraries represented in the association have become to a much greater extent modernized. The librarians have become acquainted with each other and have experienced the benefits resulting from attendance upon general library conferences and the reading of approved library periodicals.

In 1907 the Association was largely instrumental in bringing to Asheville the meeting of the American Library Association. Its object in bringing this great National meeting to the State and the South, was two-fold: first, to give encouragement to those actively engaged in library work; and second, to emphasize the possibilities for good which are to be derived from the library as a popular educator. The hope of the Association was fully realized in both of these purposes. The large delegation from the South returned to its work stimulated to greater endeavor, and the educational value of the library had been forcibly presented to the public.

The Association has acted the part of a foster mother to library interests in the State. It has helped directly in the establishment of several recent libraries, and through its membership has aided every community or individual who has sought help at its hands. It has also taken a lively interest in the State-wide movement for rural school libraries and has joined with other organizations in the campaign for a new State Library building in Raleigh.

The most significant work of the Association, however, was the securing of the establishment of the North Carolina Library Commission by the recent Legislature, and the consequent opening of the Commission's office in Raleigh, from which library interests will be directed throughout the State in the future. In establishing this Commission, the State was brought to recognize the great importance of this special work, and to stimulate and direct it aright opened what may be termed a clearing house for information concerning all phases of library work.

Having accomplished what it has, and having such purposes and aims as these, the Association appeals to all who are interested in the library movement of the State to aid it in its work. Librarians, library trustees, educators, and all others who believe in the healthful influence of the book in character formation and in the library as a power for enlightenment and good, are urged to aid it in realizing its ideals.

TREATING WITH THE REBELS.

Peace Commission Hopes to Compose Troubles in Mexico.

El Paso, Dec. 5.—It was learned here last night that the peace commission which left Chihuahua on Friday to treat with the insurectors was acting under the authority of Gov. Canchez and not President Diaz.

The plan originated with Jose M. Jandera, a prominent citizen of Chihuahua who urged its adoption by the chief executive in the interest of peace and to prevent bloodshed.

The following men compose the commission: Jose M. Jandera, Amador Gonzales, Dr. Luis de La Garza, of Chihuahua, and Eduardo and Fernando Conzales, of Guerrero. It is stated that the authority of the commission is limited to explaining the futility of an uprising of the insurrectos.

FOUND DEAD AT AUGUSTA.

Woman Asked to Be Called in Time For Train From Savannah.

Augusta, Dec. 5.—A middle-aged waman, name unknown, was found dead this morning in a Broad street boarding house. She came from Aiken last night and asked to be called at 8:30 this morning, saying she wanted to meet her sister, who was expected on the train from Savannah.

Death is supposed to have been due to natural causes, but an inquest will be held. A card found in a purse bears the name "Miss Maggie Garroway."

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(Special Star Correspondence.)

West Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 5.—In honor of the victorious A. & M. football season, Prof. W. C. Riddick, chairman of the Faculty Athletic Committee, and Mrs. Riddick, entertained the team at dinner Saturday evening. Those who enjoyed Prof. and Mrs. Riddick's hospitality and spent a very pleasant evening were Captain Hartsell, Hutt, Gattis, Bray, Floyd, Glenn, Seifert, Stofford, Robertson, von Eberstein and Carl, of the 'Varsity team, and Manager G. W. Ross and Assistant Manager A. T. Bowler.

At a meeting of the Athletic Association held in Pullen Hall, after dinner Saturday, A. T. Bowler, of Sanford, Fla., was elected manager of the 1911 football team, and N. S. Lachicotte, of Waverly Mills, S. C., and J. I. McCallum, of Charlotte, N. C., were elected assistant managers.

Officers of the Athletic Association were elected as follows: President, G. W. Ross; vice president, J. M. Beal; secretary and treasurer, C. D. Baucom.

ORGANIZE BY TOWNSHIPS.

Wilmington to Charlotte Highway Enterprise Being Organized.

(Charlotte Observer.)

One of the most important results of the conference in this city Wednesday night between representatives of the Wilmington-to-Charlotte and the Charlotte-to-Asheville highways, was the definite decision of the down eastern folks to recommend to their organization that the same plan of organization followed by the westerners be adopted by them. This provides for organization by townships, each township to issue bonds for the building of the road. The money accruing from the bonds will be placed in the charge of a corporation to be composed of one representative of each township along the entire route. This corporation will assume the tack of expending the money. The object thus secured is a general saving by preventing the necessity for duplication cessities which may be made to do more than double service. This report, adopted in the closing moments of the meeting, will be borne back to headquarters and results are expected soon.

CORN EXPOSITION TODAY.

Will Open at Columbia, S. C.,—$10,000 in Prizes.

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 5.—The South Atlantic States Corn Exposition will open in Columbia tomorrow. This will be the first corn exposition to be held in the South and prizes aggregating $10,000 will be given for the best exhibits from North Carolina, Georgia and South Carolina. More than 500 exhibits have been entered.

A corn school will be conducted in connection with the exposition. The exposition will continue through Saturday.

CENSUS OF TWO STATES.

Increase Shown In Kentucky and Miss ssippi.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Population statistics for the 13 Census were issued today for the following States:

Kentucky 2,289,905, an increase of 142,731 or 6.6 per cent. over 2,147,174 in 1900. The increase from 1890 to 1900 was 288,539 or 15.5 per cent.

Mississippi 1,779,114, an increase of 249,844 or 15.8 per cent. over 1,551,270 in 1900. The increase from 1890 to 1900 was 261,670 or 20.3 per cent.

New Orleans, Dec. 5.—High winds today again prevented the Curtiss aviators carrying out their programme at the city park field. Ely's machine was packed and shipped to Columbia, S. C., where a meet is to be held this week. McCurdy and Ward will make flights here tomorrow. Augustus Post's wrecked machine has been sent to the factory for repairs. The meet ends tomorrow.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 5.—Henry C. Stuart, Democratic candidate for Congress in the Ninth Virginia district, who was beaten by the Republican incumbent, C. Bascom Slemp, reported his expenses to the Secretary of the Commonwealth today showing that his campaign cost him $17,359.35. Mr. Stuart received a total of 16,731 votes.

Baton Rouge, La., Dec. 5.—The Louisiana General Assembly tonight voted down a resolution to submit the election of a United States Senator to succeed the late S. D. McEnery to popular vote.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

WANTED—To buy at a bargain for cash a second-hand barber chair. "Farmer" care Star. de 6-1t*

WANTED—Two canvassers to travel with crew. H. J. Fricker, Southern Hotel, after 6 P. M. de 6-1t*

LOST, STRAYED or stolen from my residence No. 609 Dock street, one Jersey cow with five months' old calf. Reward for information or return. Dr. A. H. Harriss. de 6-2t.

FOR SALE—The Mulberry plantation, the property of Mrs. W. J. H. Bellamy and near Phoenix, Brunswick county, on the Seaboard Air Line, on a navigable creek with two good landings on same, several hundred acres cleared, balance with wooded, good two-story house. Land is valuable, easy terms, immediate possession. Apply only A. W. Pate Co., or Dr. W. J. H. Bellamy. de 6-1t*

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WANTED—Position as stenographer by young lady. Can furnish good reference. Address "A. B. C." care Morning Star. de 6-1t*

FOR SALE—Fine young Jersey Cow. Good milker and gentle. Apply A. M. Smith, Winter Park Garden. de 6-2t*

EXTRA FANCY beef and lamb today. Come in and see our line of fancy beef, veal, lamb and pork today. You'll come back when you get a taste of our meats. Palace Market Co., 'phone 72. de 6-1t.

ST AGNES GUILD will hold its annual Christmas sale of fancy articles, dressed dolls, lingerie and candy in the Woolvin Building, Princess street, by courtesy of Tidewater Power Co., Thursday, December 8th, at 10:30 A. M. de 4-su tu thu-3t.

SALES AGENT wanted to sell steam turbine blowers, feed water regulators, ventilating fans, pumps, etc., guaranteed territory, commissions. Wing, 90 West st., New York City. de 4-3t.

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THE PUBLIC are invited to attend the social tea and sale of the St. John's branch of the Junior Auxiliary to be held in St. John's Parish House, Thursday, December 8th, 4 P. M. A fine lot of plants for sale. dec. 4-2t.

WANTED TO BUY, residence well located, on or near car line. Seven rooms exclusive of kitchen, pantry and bath. One-story cottage preferred, with lot 60x165. Address "Home Comfort," care Star office.

FOR SALE—Ludwig upright standard piano, mahogany finish. A bargain to someone who desires a first-class instrument. Apply to Mrs. J. H. Niggel, 411 Walnut street, or call 'phone 227. nov. 15-tf.

LET US FIGURE on repainting and repairing your old buggies, wagons and automobiles. We can save you money. Wilmington Carriage Works, 1103 Castle street. 'Phone 1019. oct. 23-tf.

WANTED—500 to 1,000 cords of four-foot pine wood. Pay cash on arrival. Address Box 184, Wilmington, N. C. nov. 11-2mo.

TO THE LADIES—Has it ever occurred to you how far a dozen of your photographs will go in remembering your friends at Christmas time. A well executed photograph is a most acceptable remembrance. We make the kind that pleases. Foltz & Kendrick, Southern Building. nov. 6-tf.

FOR PLUMBING repairs call R. T. Wells, 'phone 1531, at 503 Walnut street. nov. 24-1mo.

FOR SALE—Unredeemed shot guns, consisting of Remington, L. C. Smith and Ithica. Our prices are the lowest in the city. Call at Uncle Charles' pawn shop, 108 Market street. se 20 tf

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Having qualified as Executors of the last Will and Testament of B. G. Worth, deceased, this is to notify all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment of the same and to all persons who have claims against the said B. G. Worth, deceased, are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned Executors, duly verified as required by law, on or before the 6th day of December, A. D. 1911; or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery upon the same.

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